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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M. ______ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on ____________________

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-

2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Promoting Diversity and Inclusion in Banking Act of 2019”.

SEC. 2. DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION RATINGS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (12 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.) is amended by inserting after section 342 the following:

“SEC. 342A. DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION RATINGS.

“The Board of Governors, the Comptroller of the Currency, the Corporation, and the National Credit Union Administration Board, in assigning a rating to a depository institution under the Uniform Financial Institutions Rating System (or an equivalent rating by any such agency under a comparable rating system) shall include a diversity and inclusion component that examines—

“(1) whether the depository institution has policies in place to encourage diversity and inclusion in the hiring practices of the institution;

“(2) whether the depository institution provides training to the employees of the institution on diversity and inclusion; and

“(3)(A) with respect to a depository institution with total consolidated assets of $1,000,000,000 or less, whether such depository institution has designated an individual to serve as a Diversity and In-
clusion Officer who reports to the Chief Executive Officer of the institution on all diversity and inclusion matters; or

“(B) with respect to a depository institution with total consolidated assets of more than $1,000,000,000, whether such depository institution—

“(i) has a designated an individual to serve as a Diversity and Inclusion Officer; and

“(ii) has established a committee for diversity and inclusion that holds meetings quarterly and that includes in its membership the Diversity and Inclusion Officer designated under clause (i) and the Chief Executive Officer of the institution.”.

(b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents for the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act is amended by inserting after the item relating to section 342 the following:

“Sec. 342A. Diversity and inclusion ratings.”.

SEC. 3. DISCLOSURES RELATED TO ASSESSMENTS OF DIVERSITY POLICIES AND PRACTICES.

Section 342(b) of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (12 U.S.C. 5452(b)) is amended by adding at the end the following:
“(5) Disclosures related to assessments of diversity policies and practices.—Notwithstanding paragraph (4), the Director of each Office shall require entities regulated by the applicable agency to provide such information as may be required to carry out the assessments described under paragraph (2)(C).”.