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H. R. 1432

To require formal rulemaking procedures for rules related to health care reform.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 7, 2011

Mr. SCHWEIKERT (for himself and Mr. PAUL) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Creating Sunshine,
5 Participation, and Accountability for our Nation Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FORMAL RULEMAKING REQUIREMENT.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Any rule issued under a health
8 care reform law shall be made on the record after oppor-
9 tunity for an agency hearing.

1 (b) HEARING REQUIREMENTS.—The agency hearing
2 referred to in subsection (a) shall be—

3 (1) open to the public, including to radio and
4 television coverage; and

5 (2) presided over by an officer confirmed by the
6 Senate.

7 (c) DEFINITION.—In this Act, the term “health care
8 reform law” means—

9 (1) the Patient Protection and Affordable Care
10 Act (Public Law 111–148) and the amendments
11 made by that Act; and

12 (2) title I or subtitle B of title II of the Health
13 Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010
14 (Public Law 111–152) and the amendments made
15 by that Act.

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