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S. 1706

To require the Secretary of the Treasury to provide taxpayers with
information regarding the Federal budget.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 19, 2021

Mr. BRAUN (for himself, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Ms. LUMMIS, and Mr. TILLIS)
introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the
Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

A BILL

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taxpayers with information regarding the Federal budget.

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 “Taxpayer Receipt
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. INFORMATION REGARDING THE FEDERAL BUDGET.**

7 The Secretary of the Treasury, or the Secretary’s del-
8 egate, shall provide, to each individual filing a Federal in-
9 come tax return for a taxable year, a one-page document

1 which contains, with respect to the most recently com-
2 pleted fiscal year—

3 (1) total Federal outlays during such year;

4 (2) total Federal revenues collected during such
5 year;

6 (3) the Federal deficit or surplus for such year;

7 and

8 (4) the total Federal debt held by the public.

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