

otherwise expressly provided in this subsection; and

(B) require the low power TV station to remain in compliance with paragraph (2)(B) during the term of the license.

(d) REPORTING.—Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this Act, the Commission shall submit to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of the Senate and the Committee on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives a report regarding the implementation of this section, which shall include—

(1) a list of the current, as of the date on which the report is submitted, licensees that have been accorded primary status as Class A television licensees; and

(2) of the licensees described in paragraph (1), an identification of each such licensee that has been accorded the status described in that paragraph because of the implementation of this section.

(e) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this section may be construed to affect a decision of the Commission relating to completion of the transition, relocation, or reimbursement of entities as a result of the systems of competitive bidding conducted pursuant to title VI of the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012 (47 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.), and the amendments made by that title, that are collectively commonly referred to as the “Television Broadcast Incentive Auction”.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. PALLONE) and the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. LATTA) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from New Jersey.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material on S. 3405.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New Jersey?

There was no objection.

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of S. 3405, the Low Power Protection Act.

Now more than ever, local television is the lifeline of our communities. People across the country rely on their local broadcasters for news, emergency information, and entertainment, particularly at an unfortunate time when local newspapers are either shutting down or cutting back on news coverage.

The Low Power Protection Act would help ensure that broadcasts in some rural communities are better protected from interference, just like larger stations that operate in bigger markets. Specifically, the bill would require the FCC to issue rules allowing low power television stations that serve markets with fewer than 95,000 households to apply for an upgraded license.

If granted, the low power television station would be protected from harmful interference, allowing the station to deliver important news, emergency information, and entertainment without disruption. This local news and information can be lifesaving in times of

emergency, and we need to ensure that local communities can access this information during times of crisis.

The bill is supported by the National Association of Broadcasters, among others.

Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to join me in supporting the Low Power Protection Act, and I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. LATTA. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of S. 3405, the Low Power Protection Act.

The Low Power Protection Act protects the smallest low power television stations from being displaced by full power stations and fills important gaps in broadcast services in rural communities.

Low power television stations, LPTV, typically provide local or specialized programming in their communities and are often the only television service available in rural areas. However, LPTV is currently considered a secondary broadcast service by the Federal Communications Commission, the FCC. This means LPTV licensees are not granted protections from harmful interference or displacement and must accept interference or displacement from full power television stations.

This bill will require the FCC to open a time-limited Class A window through which qualifying low power television stations could apply. The Class A status gives low power stations the same rights to their spectrum that full power stations have.

Additionally, the Class A license provides station owners the certainty that other channels cannot interfere with their signals going forward. This allows local broadcasters to continue to invest in their communities and incentivizes further investment in their stations and communities.

I thank the gentleman from New Jersey, the chairman of the full Committee on Energy and Commerce, for bringing this legislation forward. I also thank Senators BLUNT and WYDEN for their bipartisan support of this legislation.

Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues' full support of this bill, and I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I also urge my colleagues to support this bill on a bipartisan basis, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. PALLONE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, S. 3405.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

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COMMUNICATION FROM THE HONORABLE BURGESS OWENS, MEMBER OF CONGRESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Honorable BURGESS OWENS, Member of Congress:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, December 21, 2022.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: This is to notify you formally, pursuant to Rule VIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, that I, the Honorable Burgess Owens, U.S. Representative for the 4th congressional district of Utah, have been served with a subpoena for documents issued by the Third Judicial District Court, Salt Lake County, State of Utah.

After consultation with the Office of General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and rights of the House.

Sincerely,

BURGESS OWENS,
Member of Congress.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed. Votes will be taken in the following order:

Passage of H.R. 9640;

Passage of Senate 1942;

Motions to suspend the rules with respect to:

S. 3773;

S. 4104;

S. 5087;

S. 989;

S. 1402; and

Concurring in the Senate amendment to H.R. 7939.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX, remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

PRESIDENTIAL TAX FILINGS AND AUDIT TRANSPARENCY ACT OF 2022

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the vote on passage of the bill (H.R. 9640) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for examination and disclosure with respect to Presidential income tax returns, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 222, nays 201, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 539]

YEAS—222

Adams
Aguilar

Allred
Auchincloss

Axne
Barragán

Beatty	Grijalva	Panetta	Gibbs	LaTurner	Rouzer	Flores (Weber)	Larson (CT)	Rogers (KY)
Bera	Harder (CA)	Pappas	Gimenez	Lesko	Roy	(TX))	(Blunt)	(Fleischmann)
Beyer	Hayes	Pascarell	Gohmert	Letlow	Rutherford	Frankel, Lois	(Rochester)	Roybal-Allard
Bishop (GA)	Higgins (NY)	Payne	Gonzales, Tony	Long	Salazar	(Wasserman)	Lawrence	(Correa)
Blumenauer	Himes	Pelosi	Gonzalez (OH)	Loudermilk	Schultz)	Schultz)	(Garcia (TX))	Ruiz (Takano)
Blunt Rochester	Horsford	Peltola	Good (VA)	Lucas	Scalise	Gallego (Beyer)	Lawson (FL)	Rush (Torres)
Bonamici	Houlihan	Perlmutter	Gooden (TX)	Luetkemeyer	Scott, Austin	Garamendi	(Evans)	(CA))
Bourdeaux	Hoyer	Peters	Gosar	Mace	Scott, Austin	(Correa)	Lee (NV)	Ryan (OH)
Bowman	Huffman	Phillips	Granger	Malliotakis	Sempolinski	Garcia (IL)	(Pappas)	(Blunt)
Boyle, Brendan F.	Johnson Lee	Pingree	Graves (LA)	Mann	Sessions	(Correa)	Leger Fernandez	(Rochester)
Brown (MD)	Jacobs (CA)	Pocan	Graves (MO)	Massie	Simpson	Gibbs (Joyce)	(Perlmutter)	Salazar (Dunn)
Brown (OH)	Jayapal	Porter	Green (TN)	Mast	Smith (MO)	(PA))	Letlow (Nehls)	Sánchez
Brownley	Jeffries	Price (NC)	Greene (GA)	McCarthy	Smith (NE)	Gimenez (Diaz-	Lofgren	(Carbajal)
Brownley	Johnson (GA)	Quigley	Griffith	McCaul	Smith (NJ)	Balart)	(Takano)	Schneider
Bush	Johnson (TX)	Raskin	Grothman	McClain	Smucker	Gomez (Torres	Loudermilk	(Perlmutter)
Bustos	Jones	Rice (NY)	Guest	McClintock	Spartz	(CA))	(Fleischmann)	Scott, David
Butterfield	Kahele	Rice (SC)	Guthrie	McHenry	Staubert	Gonzales, Tony	Lowenthal	(Garcia (TX))
Carbajal	Kaptur	Ross	Harris	Meijer	Steel	(Moore (UT))	(Beyer)	Sewell (Clarke)
Cardenas	Katko	Roybal-Allard	Harshbarger	Meuser	Stefanik	Gonzalez (OH)	Luetkemeyer	(NY))
Carson	Keating	Ruiz	Hartzler	Miller (IL)	Steil	(Moore (UT))	(Mooney)	Sherrill (Trone)
Carter (LA)	Kelly (IL)	Ruppersberger	Herrell	Miller (WV)	Steube	Gonzalez,	Lynch (Pappas)	Simpson
Cartwright	Khanna	Rush	Hice (GA)	Miller-Meeks	Stewart	Vicente	Mace (Nehls)	(Fulcher)
Case	Kildee	Ryan (NY)	Higgins (LA)	Moolenaar	Taylor	(Garcia (TX))	Malliotakis	(Sires (Pallone)
Casten	Kilmer	Ryan (OH)	Hill	Mooney	Tenney	Gooden (TX)	(Yakym)	Smith (WA)
Castor (FL)	Kim (NJ)	Sánchez	Hinson	Moore (AL)	Thompson (PA)	(Joyce (PA))	McCaul (Weber	(Garcia (TX))
Castro (TX)	Kind	Sarbanes	Hudson	Moore (UT)	Tiffany	Gosar (Weber	(TX))	Smucker (Joyce
Cheney	Kinzinger	Scanlon	Huizenga	Mullin	Timmons	(TX))	McClain	(PA))
Cherfilus-	Kirkpatrick	Schakowsky	Issa	Murphy (NC)	Turner	Graves (MO)	(Fitzgerald)	Spartz (Buchson)
McCormick	Krishnamoorthi	Schiff	Jackson	Nehls	Valadao	(Fleischmann)	McHenry	Stansbury
Chu	Kuster	Schneider	Jacobs (NY)	Newhouse	Van Drew	Greene (GA)	(Donalds)	(Perlmutter)
Cielline	Lamb	Schrader	Johnson (LA)	Norman	Van Duyn	(Moore (AL))	Meijer (Upton)	Staubert
Clark (MA)	Langevin	Schrier	Johnson (OH)	Obernolte	Wagner	Grijalva (Torres	Meng (Clarke	(Fischbach)
Clarke (NY)	Larsen (WA)	Scott (VA)	Johnson (SD)	Owens	Walberg	(CA))	(NY))	Steel (Kim (CA))
Cleaver	Larson (CT)	Scott, David	Jordan	Palazzo	Waltz	Grothman	Meuser (Nehls)	Stefanik (Zeldin)
Clyburn	Lawrence	Sewell	Joyce (OH)	Palmer	Weber (TX)	(Fitzgerald)	Miller (IL)	Steube (Diaz-
Cohen	Lawson (FL)	Sherman	Joyce (PA)	Pence	Webster (FL)	Hartzler (Weber	(Donalds)	Balart)
Connolly	Lee (CA)	Sherrill	Keller	Perry	Westerman	(TX))	Miller (WV)	Stevens (Casten)
Cooper	Lee (NV)	Sires	Kelly (MS)	Pfluger	Williams (TX)	Hayes (Raskin)	(Murphy (NC))	Stewart (Moore
Correa	Leger Fernandez	Slotkin	Kelly (PA)	Posey	Wilson (SC)	Herrell (Joyce	Miller-Meeks	(UT))
Costa	Levin (CA)	Smith (WA)	Kim (CA)	Reschenthaler	Wittman	(PA))	(Keller)	Suoizzi (Clarke
Courtney	Levin (MI)	Soto	Kustoff	Rodgers (WA)	Womack	Hice (GA)	Moolenaar	(NY))
Craig	Lieu	Spanberger	LaHood	Rogers (AL)	Yakym	(Bishop (NC))	(Bergman)	Swalwell
Crow	Lofgren	Speier	LaMalfa	Rogers (KY)	Zeldin	Higgins (NY)	Moore (WI)	(Correa)
Cuellar	Lowenthal	Stansbury	Lamborn	Rose		(Pallone)	(Raskin)	Taylor
Davids (KS)	Luria	Stanton	Latta	Rosendale		Houlihan (Dean)	(Napoliitano	(Armstrong)
Davis, Danny K.	Lynch	Stevens				Hudson (Rouzer)	(Correa)	Thompson (CA)
Dean	Malinowski	Strickland				Huffman	(Pappas)	(Torres (CA))
DeFazio	Maloney,	Suozzi	Buck	Hern	McKinley	Issa (Calvert)	Mrvan	Thompson (MS)
DeGette	Carolyn B.	Swalwell	Crenshaw	Herrera Beutler	Pressley	Jackson (Nehls)	(Perlmutter)	(Strickland)
DeLauro	Maloney, Sean	Takano	Gallagher	Hollingsworth		Jacobs (NY)	Napolitano	Tiffany
DelBene	Manning	Thompson (CA)				(Zeldin)	(Correa)	(Fitzgerald)
Demings	Matsui	Thompson (MS)					Neguse	Timmons
DeSaulnier	McBath	Titus				Jayapal	(Perlmutter)	(Fleischmann)
Dingell	McCollum	Tlaib				(Cicilline)	(Pappas)	(Torres (CA))
Doggett	McGovern	Tonko				Johnson (LA)	Newman (Correa)	Titus (Pallone)
Doyle, Michael F.	McNerney	Torres (CA)				(Nehls)	Obernolte	Tlaib (Levin
Escobar	Meeks	Torres (NY)				Johnson (TX)	(Pfluger)	(MI))
Eshoo	Meng	Trahan				(Pallone)	Ocasio-Cortez	Trahan (Pappas)
Espallat	Mfume	Trone				Joyce (OH)	(Bowman)	Turner (Garcia
Evans	Moore (WI)	Underwood				(Garbarino)	O'Halleran	(CA))
Fletcher	Morelle	Upton				Kahele (Correa)	(Pappas)	Van Drew
Foster	Moulton	Vargas				Katko (Kim	Omar (Blunt	(Nehls)
Frankel, Lois	Murphy (FL)	Veasey				(CA))	Rochester)	Van Duyn
Gallego	Nadler	Velázquez				Keating	Owens (Moore	(Nehls)
Garamendi	Napoliitano	Wasserman				(Perlmutter)	(UT))	Vargas (Correa)
Garcia (IL)	Neal	Schultz				Kelly (IL)	Palazzo	Veasey (Clarke
Garcia (TX)	Neguse	Watson Coleman				(Casten)	(Fleischmann)	(NY))
Golden	Newman	Welch				Khanna (Blunt	Pascarell	Velázquez
Gomez	Norcross	Wexton				Rochester)	(Pallone)	(Clarke (NY))
Gonzalez,	O'Halleran	Wild				Kinzing	Payne (Pallone)	Wagner
Vicente	Ocasio-Cortez	Williams (GA)				Peters (Torres	(Pallone)	(Fleischmann)
Gottheimer	Omar	Wilson (FL)				(CA))	Pingree (Beyer)	Waltz (Mooney)
Green, Al (TX)	Pallone	Yarmuth				Pocan (Raskin)	(Pallone)	Watson Coleman
						Porter (Beyer)	(Pappas)	(Pallone)
						Welch (Pallone)	Porter (Beyer)	Welch (Pallone)
						Wenstrup	Posay (Diaz-	(Johnson (OH))
						(Blunt)	Balart)	(Williams (GA)
						LaMalfa	Quigley (Blunt	(Perlmutter)
						(Fleischmann)	Rochester)	Williams (TX)
						Lamborn	Rice (SC) (Weber	(Weber (TX))
						(Fleischmann)	(TX))	
						Langevin	Rodgers (WA)	Wilson (FL)
						(Pappas)	(Moore (UT))	(Cicilline)

NOT VOTING—8

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