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To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Harriet Tubman and to place the statue in National Statuary Hall in the United States Capitol.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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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 “Honoring Harriet Tub-

5 man Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. PLACEMENT OF STATUE OF HARRIET TUBMAN IN**
7 **NATIONAL STATUARY HALL.**

8 (a) **OBTAINING STATUE.**—Not later than 2 years
9 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Joint Com-
10 mittee on the Library shall enter into an agreement to
11 obtain a statue of Harriet Tubman, under such terms and
12 conditions as the Joint Committee considers appropriate
13 consistent with applicable law.

14 (b) **PLACEMENT.**—The Joint Committee shall place
15 the statue obtained under subsection (a) in the United
16 States Capitol in a suitable permanent location in Na-
17 tional Statuary Hall.

18 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

19 (a) **AUTHORIZATION.**—There are authorized to be ap-
20 propriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out
21 this Act.

1 (b) CONTINUING AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.—Any
2 amounts appropriated pursuant to the authorization under
3 this section shall remain available until expended.

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