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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. FOUSHEE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

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. PROVISION OF FUNDS FOR ESTABLISHMENT**
4 **OF MILITARY FAMILY DIAPER FUND.**

5 (a) PROVISION OF FUNDS.—The Secretary of De-
6 fense shall seek to enter an agreement with the National

1 Diaper Bank Network to provide to the Network
2 \$1,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2027 through 2030
3 for the purpose of establishing a military family diaper
4 fund to distribute diapers and diapering supplies to mili-
5 tary families.

6 (b) USE OF FUNDS.—An agreement under subsection
7 (a) shall provide that—

8 (1) the National Diaper Bank Network shall es-
9 tablish a military family diaper fund and deposit
10 funds received from the Secretary under the agree-
11 ment into such fund;

12 (2) the National Diaper Bank Network shall
13 deposit into the military family diaper fund match-
14 ing funds or in-kind contributions from non-Federal
15 Government sources that are of a value equal or
16 greater to the amount of funds provided by the Sec-
17 retary under the agreement;

18 (3) funds or in-kind contributions in the mili-
19 tary family diaper fund shall only be provided to
20 members of the National Diaper Bank Network who
21 have engaged in the distribution of diapers or dia-
22 pering supplies in an area located within 20 miles of
23 a military installation for a period of not less than
24 five years;

1 (4) such funds or in-kind contributions shall
2 only be used—

3 (A) to provide diapers and diapering sup-
4 plies to military families in need of diapers or
5 diapering supplies; or

6 (B) for technical assistance and evaluation
7 provided by the National Diaper Bank Net-
8 work; and

9 (5) the National Diaper Bank Network shall
10 submit to the Secretary of Defense an annual report
11 on the activities carried out using the military family
12 diaper fund during the preceding fiscal year.