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To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to publish a report regarding veterans who receive benefits under laws administered by the Secretary, disaggregated by sex and minority group member status.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 6, 2019 Mr. DELGADO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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 "Improving Benefits
- 5 for Underserved Veterans Act".

1SEC. 2. REPORT REGARDING VETERANS WHO RECEIVE2BENEFITS UNDER LAWS ADMINISTERED BY3THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.

4 (a) REPORT REQUIRED.—Not later than 180 days 5 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary 6 of Veterans Affairs shall publish a report regarding vet-7 erans who receive benefits under laws administered by the 8 Secretary, including the Transition Assistance Program 9 under sections 1142 and 1144 of title 10, United States 10 Code.

(b) DATA.—The data regarding veterans published in
the report under subsection (a)—

13 (1) shall be disaggregated by—

14 (A) sex; and

15 (B) minority group member status; and

16 (2) may not include any personally identifiable17 information.

(c) MINORITY GROUP MEMBER DEFINED.—In this
section, the term "minority group member" has the meaning given that term in section 544 of title 38, United
States Code.

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