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**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1913, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MS. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON OF
TEXAS**

Page 2, lines 11 through 14, strike paragraph (2) and insert the following paragraphs (and redesignate the succeeding paragraph accordingly):

1 (2) the term “hate crime” means a crime in
2 which the defendant intentionally selects a victim, or
3 in the case of a property crime, the property that is
4 the object of the crime, because of the actual or per-
5 ceived race, color, religion, national origin, ethnicity,
6 gender, disability, sexual orientation, or homeless
7 status of any person;

8 (3) the term “homeless status” means the sta-
9 tus of an individual who lacks a fixed, regular, and
10 adequate nighttime residence, or an individual who
11 has a primary nighttime residence that is—

12 (A) a public or private place not designed
13 for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping ac-
14 commodation for human beings, including cars,
15 parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, sub-
16 standard housing, bus or train stations, or simi-
17 lar settings;

1 (B) a supervised publicly or privately oper-
2 ated shelter designed to provide temporary liv-
3 ing accommodations, including motels, hotels,
4 congregate shelters, and transitional housing; or

5 (C) housing of other persons in which the
6 individual is temporarily staying due to loss of
7 housing, economic hardship, or a similar rea-
8 son; and

Page 3, line 10, insert “homeless status,” before “or disability”.

Page 8, line 7, insert “HOMELESS STATUS,” after “IDENTITY,”.

Page 8, line 17, insert “homeless status,” after “identity,”.

Page 10, line 22, insert “homeless status,” after “identity,”.

Page 11, line 18, strike “and”; line 20, strike the period and insert “; and”; and after line 20 insert the following:

9 “(C) the term ‘homeless status’ has the
10 meaning given such term in section
11 280003(a)(2) of the Violent Crime Control and

1 Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (28 U.S.C. 994
2 note).

Page 12, before line 8, insert the following new sections (and redesignate the succeeding sections accordingly):

3 **SEC. 7. STATISTICS.**

4 Subsection (b)(1) of the first section of the Hate
5 Crime Statistics Act (28 U.S.C. 534 note) is amended by
6 inserting “gender, gender identity, homeless status,” after
7 “sexual orientation,”.

8 **SEC. 8. VIOLENT CRIME CONTROL.**

9 Section 280003(a) of the Violent Crime Control and
10 Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (28 U.S.C. 994 note) is
11 amended to read as follows:

12 “(a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

13 “(1) HATE CRIME.—The term ‘hate crime’
14 means a crime in which the defendant intentionally
15 selects a victim, or in the case of a property crime,
16 the property that is the object of the crime, because
17 of the actual or perceived race, color, religion, national
18 origin, ethnicity, gender, disability, sexual orientation,
19 or homeless status of any person.

20 “(2) HOMELESS STATUS.—The term ‘homeless
21 status’ means the status of an individual who lacks
22 a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence,

1 or an individual who has a primary nighttime resi-
2 dence that is—

3 “(A) a public or private place not designed
4 for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping ac-
5 commodation for human beings, including cars,
6 parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, sub-
7 standard housing, bus or train stations, or simi-
8 lar settings;

9 “(B) a supervised publicly or privately op-
10 erated shelter designed to provide temporary
11 living accommodations, including motels, hotels,
12 congregate shelters, and transitional housing; or

13 “(C) housing of other persons in which the
14 individual is temporarily staying due to loss of
15 housing, economic hardship, or a similar rea-
16 son.”.

