

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—118th Cong., 2d Sess.

S. 5093

To sunset the Advisory Committee on the Records of
Congress, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and
ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE intended
to be proposed by Mr. PETERS

Viz:

1 Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the fol-
2 lowing:

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Advisory Committee
5 on the Records of Congress Sunset Act of 2024”.

6 **SEC. 2. MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION OF THE**
7 **RECORDS OF CONGRESS.**

8 (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section—

9 (1) the term “Archivist” means the Archivist of
10 the United States;

11 (2) the term “Clerk” means the Clerk of the
12 House of Representatives;

1 (3) the term “Director” means the Director of
2 the Center for Legislative Archives of the National
3 Archives, or any successor thereto;

4 (4) the term “Member of Congress” means a
5 Member of the Senate or the House of Representa-
6 tives, a Delegate to the House of Representatives,
7 and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico;
8 and

9 (5) the term “Secretary” means the Secretary
10 of the Senate.

11 (b) REPORTING.—Not later than February 1 of the
12 second calendar year beginning after the date of enact-
13 ment of this Act, and every calendar year thereafter, the
14 Director shall submit a report on the management and
15 preservation of the records of Congress during the pre-
16 vious year to—

17 (1) the Archivist;

18 (2) the Secretary;

19 (3) the Clerk;

20 (4) the Committee on Homeland Security and
21 Governmental Affairs and the Committee on Rules
22 and Administration of the Senate; and

23 (5) the Committee on Oversight and Account-
24 ability and the Committee on House Administration
25 of the House of Representatives.

1 (c) REVIEW.—The Archivist, the Secretary, and the
2 Clerk shall meet to review the management and preserva-
3 tion of the records of Congress and Members of Con-
4 gress—

5 (1) not later than 60 days after the date on
6 which the Director submits a report under sub-
7 section (b); and

8 (2) not later than 180 days after the date on
9 which an individual is appointed to the position of
10 Archivist, Secretary, or Clerk.

11 (d) SUNSET OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE.—Effective
12 on the date that is 60 days after the date of enactment
13 of this Act, title 44 of the United States Code is amend-
14 ed—

15 (1) by striking chapter 27;

16 (2) by striking the table of sections relating to
17 chapter 27; and

18 (3) in the table of chapters, by striking the item
19 relating to chapter 27.