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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Ms. Barragán 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. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "SNAP Recertification
- 5 Reform Act of 2024".

1	SEC. 2. WAIVER OF CERTAIN ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIRE-
2	MENTS FOR RECERTIFICATION UNDER SUP-
3	PLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PRO-
4	GRAM.
5	(a) In General.—Section 11(e)(6) of the Food and
6	Nutrition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2020(e)(6)) is amend-
7	ed—
8	(1) in subparagraph (A), by striking "and" at
9	the end; and
10	(2) by adding at the end the following:
11	"(C) the State agency may waive recertifi-
12	cation interviews required by the Secretary sub-
13	ject to the condition that the applicant—
14	"(i) waives the interview; and
15	"(ii) has already demonstrated eligi-
16	bility for the continuation of benefits; and
17	"(D) if the Secretary requires an applicant
18	interview for recertification, the State agency
19	shall give the applicant the option to conduct
20	the interview in-person, by phone, virtually, or
21	through any other medium determined by the
22	Secretary to reduce administrative burden;".
23	(b) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
24	subsection (a) shall take effect on the date that is 180
25	days after the date of enactment of this Act.