

81ST CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1215

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 10, 1949

Mr. FOGARTY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service

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## A BILL

To provide for a decennial census of housing.

1        *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2        *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3        That the Director of the Census is authorized and directed  
4        to take a census of housing in each State, the District of  
5        Columbia, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and  
6        Alaska, in the year 1950 and decennially thereafter in con-  
7        junction with, at the same time, and as a part of the popu-  
8        lation inquiry of the decennial census in order to provide  
9        information concerning the number, characteristics (includ-  
10       ing utilities and equipment), and geographical distribution  
11       of dwelling units in the United States. The Director of the

1 Census is authorized to collect such supplementary statistics  
2 (either in advance of or after the taking of such census) as  
3 are necessary to the completion thereof.

4 All of the provisions, including penalties, of the Act pro-  
5 vidig for the fifteenth and subsequent decennial censuses,  
6 approved June 18, 1929, as amended (U. S. C., title 13,  
7 ch. 4), shall apply to the taking of the census provided for  
8 in section 1 of this Act.

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