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119TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

To amend the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 to expand public service expenditures and new home construction, and for other purposes.

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**IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Mr. LICCARDO (for himself and Mr. FLOOD) introduced the following bill;  
which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**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 “Unleashing Needed  
5       Local Options to Construct and Keep Housing Act” or  
6       the “UNLOCK Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENTS TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY**  
2 **DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974.**

3 Section 105(a) of the Housing and Community De-  
4 velopment Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5305(a)) is amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (25)(D), by striking “and” at  
6 the end;

7 (2) in paragraph (26), by striking the period at  
8 the end and inserting “; and”; and

9 (3) by inserting at the end the following:

10 “(27) in the case of any metropolitan city or  
11 urban county, State, unit of general local govern-  
12 ment, or insular area that receives amounts under  
13 section 106, for the construction of new residential  
14 housing for low- and moderate-income persons, with  
15 or without the assistance from a neighborhood-based  
16 nonprofit organization, or other private or public  
17 nonprofit organization.”.