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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. COONS (for himself, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. WELCH, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the ''Agency Stability Restoration Act of 2024''.

SEC. 2. RIGHT OF REVIEW.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 702 of title 5, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in the first sentence, by striking ''A person'' and inserting the following:

''(a) IN GENERAL.—A person''; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

''(b) STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.—Except as otherwise expressly provided by law, a person bringing an action under this section shall bring that action not later than 6 years after the date of the final agency action with respect to which the person seeks judicial review.''.

(b) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 2401(a) of title 28, United States Code, is amended, in the first sentence, by inserting ''or section 702(b) of title 5'' after ''title 41''.