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ON CONSUMER PROTECTION AND COMMERCE ON JULY 10, 2019]

116TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3172

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 10, 2019

Mr. CÁRDENAS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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tion in commerce, or importation into the United States
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poses.

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 “Safe Sleep for Babies
5 Act of 2019”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON SALE OF INCLINED SLEEPERS**
2 **FOR INFANTS.**

3 (a) PROHIBITION ON THE SALE OF INCLINED SLEEP-
4 ERS FOR INFANTS.—Beginning on the date that is 180
5 days after the date of enactment of this Act, it shall be
6 unlawful for any person to manufacture for sale, offer for
7 sale, distribute in commerce, or import into the United
8 States any inclined sleeper for infants.

9 (b) TREATMENT OF VIOLATION.—A violation of sub-
10 section (a) shall be treated as a violation of section
11 19(a)(1) of the Consumer Product Safety Act (15 U.S.C.
12 2068(a)(1)).

13 (c) INCLINED SLEEPER FOR INFANTS DEFINED.—In
14 this section, the term “inclined sleeper for infants” means
15 a product with an inclined sleep surface greater than ten
16 degrees that is intended, marketed, or designed to provide
17 sleeping accommodations for an infant up to one year old.