

[DISCUSSION DRAFT]

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

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

To reauthorize the Stem Cell Therapeutic and Research Act of 2005, and  
for other purposes

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey introduced the following bill; which was referred  
to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

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of 2005, and for other purposes

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 “Stem Cell Therapeutic  
5 and Research Reauthorization Act of 2015”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENTS TO THE STEM CELL THERAPEUTIC**  
2 **AND RESEARCH ACT OF 2005.**

3 (a) CORD BLOOD INVENTORY.—Section 2 of the  
4 Stem Cell Therapeutic and Research Act of 2005 (42  
5 U.S.C. 274k note) is amended in subsection (h)—

6 (1) in paragraph (1)—

7 (A) by striking “\$23,000,000 for each of  
8 fiscal years 2011 through 2014 and”; and

9 (B) by inserting before the period at the  
10 end the following: “and \$23,000,000 for each of  
11 fiscal years 2016 through 2020”; and

12 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “2011  
13 through 2015” and inserting “2015 through 2020”.

14 (b) NATIONAL PROGRAM.—Section 379B of the Pub-  
15 lic Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 274m) is amended by  
16 striking “2011 through 2014” and inserting “2016  
17 through 2020”.