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# H. R. 3170

[Report No. 116-]

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 10, 2019

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, and Mr. RUSH) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

SEPTEMBER --, 2019

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on June 10, 2019]

# **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 “Safe Cribs Act of 2019”.*

5 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON SALE OF CRIB BUMPERS.**

6        *(a) PROHIBITION ON THE SALE OF CRIB BUMPERS.—*  
7 *Beginning on the date that is 180 days after the date of*  
8 *enactment of this Act, it shall be unlawful for any person*  
9 *to manufacture for sale, offer for sale, distribute in com-*  
10 *merce, or import into the United States any crib bumper.*

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

14        *(c) CRIB BUMPER DEFINED.—In this section, the term*  
15 *“crib bumper”—*

16            *(1) means any material that is intended to cover*  
17 *the sides of a crib to prevent injury to any crib occu-*  
18 *phant from impacts against the side of a crib or to*  
19 *prevent partial or complete access to any openings in*  
20 *the sides of a crib to prevent a crib occupant from*  
21 *getting any part of the body entrapped in any open-*  
22 *ing;*

23            *(2) includes a padded crib bumper, a supported*  
24 *and unsupported vinyl bumper guard, and vertical*  
25 *crib slat covers; and*

- 1            *(3) does not include a non-padded mesh crib*
- 2            *liner.*