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119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To increase penalties for crimes against children.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. LUNA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on _____

A BILL

To increase penalties for crimes against children.

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 “No Repeat Child Sex
5 Offenders Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. SEX TRAFFICKING.**

7 (a) TRANSPORTATION GENERALLY.—Subsection (a)
8 of section 2421 of title 18, United States Code, is amend-
9 ed by striking “or imprisoned not more than 10 years,

1 or both” and inserting “and punished by death or impris-
2 oned for life”.

3 (b) PROMOTION OR FACILITATION.—Section 2421A
4 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “imprisoned
6 for not more than 10 years, or both” and inserting
7 “and punished by death or imprisoned for life”; and

8 (2) in subsection (b), in the continuation text
9 following paragraph (2), by striking “imprisoned for
10 not more than 25 years, or both” and inserting “and
11 punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

12 (c) COERCION AND ENTICEMENT.—Section 2422 of
13 title 18, United States Code, is amended—

14 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “or impris-
15 oned not more than 20 years, or both” and inserting
16 “and punished by death or imprisoned for life”; and

17 (2) in subsection (b), by striking “imprisoned
18 not less than 10 years or for life” and inserting
19 “punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

20 (d) SEX TRAFFICKING OF CHILDREN.—Section 1591
21 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

22 (1) in subsection (b)—

23 (A) in paragraph (1), by striking “by a
24 fine under this title and imprisonment for any
25 term of years not less than 15 or for life” and

1 inserting “shall be fined under this title and
2 punished by death or imprisoned for life”; and

3 (B) in paragraph (2), by striking “by a
4 fine under this title and imprisonment for not
5 less than 10 years or for life” and inserting
6 “shall be fined under this title and punished by
7 death or imprisoned for life”; and

8 (2) in subsection (d), by striking “shall be fined
9 under this title, imprisoned for a term not to exceed
10 25 years, or both” and inserting “shall be fined
11 under this title and punished by death or imprisoned
12 for life”.

13 **SEC. 3. TRANSPORTATION OF MINORS.**

14 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 2423 of title 18, United
15 States Code, is amended—

16 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “imprisoned
17 not less than 10 years or for life”” and inserting
18 “punished by death or imprisoned for life”;

19 (2) in subsection (b), by striking “or impris-
20 oned not more than 30 years, or both” and inserting
21 “and punished by death or imprisoned for life”;

22 (3) in subsection (c), by striking “or imprisoned
23 not more than 30 years, or both” and inserting “and
24 punished by death or imprisoned for life”; and

1 (4) in subsection (d), by striking “imprisoned
2 for not more than 30 years, or both” and inserting
3 “and punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

4 (b) REPEAT OFFENDERS.—Section 2426(a) of title
5 18, United States Code, is amended by striking “be 3
6 times the term of imprisonment otherwise provided by this
7 chapter” and inserting “be punished by death or impris-
8 oned for life”.

9 **SEC. 4. EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN.**

10 Subsection (e) of section 2423 of title 18, United
11 States Code, is amended to read as follows:

12 “(e) ANCILLARY OFFENSES.—Whoever, for the pur-
13 pose of commercial advantage or private financial gain,
14 arranges, induces, procures, or facilitates the travel of a
15 person knowing that such a person is traveling in inter-
16 state commerce or foreign commerce with intent to engage
17 in any illicit sexual conduct shall be fined under this title
18 and punished by death or imprisoned for life.”.

19 **SEC. 5. SELLING CHILDREN.**

20 Section 2251A(a) is amended by striking “punished
21 by imprisonment for not less than 30 years or” and insert-
22 ing “punished by death or”.

23 **SEC. 6. SEXUAL ABUSE.**

24 (a) AGGRAVATED SEXUAL ABUSE.—Section 2241(c)
25 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by striking

1 “imprisoned for not less than 30 years or for life” and
2 inserting “punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

3 (b) SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR.—Section 2243 of
4 title 18, United States Code, is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a), in the continuation text
6 following paragraph (2), by striking “shall be fined
7 under this title, imprisoned not more than 15 years,
8 or both” and inserting “shall be fined under this
9 title and punished by death or imprisoned for life”;

10 (2) in subsection (b), in the continuation text
11 following paragraph (2), by striking “shall be fined
12 under this title, imprisoned not more than 15 years,
13 or both” and inserting “shall be fined under this
14 title and punished by death or imprisoned for life”;
15 and

16 (3) in subsection (c), by striking “shall be fined
17 under this title, imprisoned not more than 15 years,
18 or both” and inserting “shall be fined under this
19 title and punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

20 (c) ABUSIVE SEXUAL CONTACT.—Section 2244 of
21 title 18, United States Code, is amended—

22 (1) in subsection (a)—

23 (A) in paragraph (3), by striking “shall be
24 fined under this title, imprisoned not more than
25 two years, or both” and inserting “shall be

1 fined under this title and punished by death or
2 imprisoned for life”;

3 (B) in paragraph (4), by striking “shall be
4 fined under this title, imprisoned not more than
5 two years, or both” and inserting “shall be
6 fined under this title and punished by death or
7 imprisoned for life”;

8 (C) in paragraph (5), by striking “shall be
9 fined under this title and imprisoned for any
10 term of years or for life” and inserting “shall
11 be fined under this title and punished by death
12 or imprisoned for life”; and

13 (D) in paragraph (6), by striking “shall be
14 fined under this title, imprisoned not more than
15 two years, or both” and inserting “shall be
16 fined under this title and punished by death or
17 imprisoned for life”; and

18 (2) in subsection (c), by striking “the maximum
19 term of imprisonment that may be imposed for the
20 offense shall be twice that otherwise provided in this
21 section” and inserting “shall be fined under this title
22 and punished by death or imprisoned for life”.

23 (d) OFFENSES RESULTING IN DEATH.—Section
24 2245(a) of title 18, United States Code, is amended by
25 striking “shall be punished by death or imprisoned for any

1 term of years or for life” and inserting “shall be fined
2 under this title and punished by death or imprisoned for
3 life”.