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H. R. 4134

To direct the Attorney General to provide grants for Internet crime prevention education programs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California (for herself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Ms. BERKLEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SIRES, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

To direct the Attorney General to provide grants for Internet crime prevention education programs.

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. GRANTS FOR INTERNET CRIME PREVENTION**
4 **EDUCATION PROGRAMS.**

5 (a) GRANT FOR I-SAFE.—

6 (1) GRANT.—Subject to the availability of the
7 funds authorized to be appropriated under para-
8 graph (2), the Attorney General shall provide a

1 grant to i-Safe, Inc., to carry out Internet crime pre-
2 vention education programs.

3 (2) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

4 There is authorized to be appropriated \$5,000,000
5 for grants under paragraph (1) for each of the fiscal
6 years 2008 through 2012.

7 (b) COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM.—

8 (1) ESTABLISHMENT.—Subject to the avail-
9 ability of the funds authorized to be appropriated
10 under paragraph (2), the Attorney General shall cre-
11 ate and administer a competitive grants program for
12 organizations to carry out Internet crime prevention
13 education programs.

14 (2) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

15 There is authorized to be appropriated \$5,000,000
16 for grants under paragraph (1) for each of the fiscal
17 years 2008 through 2012.

18 **SEC. 2. INTERNET CRIME PREVENTION EDUCATION PRO-**

19 **GRAMS DEFINED.**

20 (a) IN GENERAL.—The term “Internet crime preven-
21 tion education programs” means programs that serve to
22 educate parents, children, educators, and communities
23 about how to recognize and prevent potentially criminal
24 activity on the Internet.

25 (b) RELATED DEFINITIONS.—

1 (1) POTENTIALLY CRIMINAL ACTIVITY.—The
2 term “potentially criminal activity” includes access
3 through the Internet and other electronic devices to
4 potentially illegal activity including sexual or racial
5 harassment, cyberbullying, sexual exploitation, expo-
6 sure to pornography, and privacy violations.

7 (2) CYBERBULLYING.—The term “cyberbully-
8 ing” includes verbal, visual, or written psychological
9 bullying or harassment by an individual or group,
10 using an electronic device or devices including e-
11 mail, instant messaging, text messages, blogs, tele-
12 phones, pagers, and websites, to support deliberate,
13 repeated, and hostile behavior that is intended to
14 harm others.

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