An Act

To clarify the scope of the Economic Espionage Act of 1996.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Theft of Trade Secrets Clarification Act of 2012”.

SEC. 2. AMENDMENT.

Section 1831(a) of title 18, United States Code, is amended in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by striking “or included in a product that is produced for or placed in” and inserting “a product or service used in or intended for use in”.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.