

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2840

To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize COPS grantees to use grant funds for active shooter training, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 21, 2016

Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. COONS, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. VITTER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 “Protecting Our Lives
5 by Initiating COPS Expansion Act of 2016” or the “PO-
6 LICE Act of 2016”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZED USE OF COPS FUNDS.**

2 Section 1701(b) of title I of the Omnibus Crime Con-
3 trol and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3796dd(b))
4 is amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (16), by striking “and” at the
6 end;

7 (2) by redesignating paragraph (17) as para-
8 graph (18);

9 (3) by inserting after paragraph (16) the fol-
10 lowing:

11 “(17) to participate in nationally recognized ac-
12 tive shooter training programs that offer scenario-
13 based, integrated response courses designed to
14 counter active shooter threats or acts of terrorism
15 against individuals or facilities; and”; and

16 (4) in paragraph (18), as redesignated, by
17 striking “(16)” and inserting “(17)”.

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