

116TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 3183

To improve the Safe Routes to School Program, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 14, 2020

Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself and Mr. CRAMER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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## 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 Routes to All  
5 Schools Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROGRAM.**

7 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-  
8 gress that—

9 (1) the safe routes to school program under sec-  
10 tion 1404 of SAFETEA-LU (23 U.S.C. 402 note;

1 Public Law 109–59) (referred to in this subsection  
2 as the “program”) should be expanded to include  
3 high school students as well as primary and middle  
4 school students;

5 (2) the program helps ensure the safety of chil-  
6 dren; and

7 (3) Congress should continue to provide funding  
8 for this important program.

9 (b) SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL.—Section 1404 of  
10 SAFETEA–LU (23 U.S.C. 402 note; Public Law 109–  
11 59) is amended—

12 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “primary and  
13 middle” and inserting “primary, middle, and high”;  
14 and

15 (2) in subsection (k)(2)—

16 (A) in the heading, by striking “PRIMARY  
17 AND MIDDLE” and inserting “PRIMARY, MID-  
18 DLE, AND HIGH”;

19 (B) by striking “primary and middle” and  
20 inserting “primary, middle, and high”; and

21 (C) by striking “eighth grade” and insert-  
22 ing “12th grade”.

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