

119TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2398

AN ACT

To reauthorize the Kay Hagan Tick Act, and for other
purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Kay Hagan Tick Reau-
3 thorization Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION OF PROGRAMS.**

5 (a) NATIONAL STRATEGY AND REGIONAL CENTERS
6 OF EXCELLENCE IN VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES.—Section
7 317U of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247b–
8 23) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (b), in the matter preceding
10 paragraph (1), by striking “the Tick-Borne Disease
11 Working Group established under section 2062 of
12 the 21st Century Cures Act (42 U.S.C. 284s) and
13 other individuals, as appropriate” and inserting “ap-
14 propriate individuals”;

15 (2) in subsection (c), by striking “in coordina-
16 tion with” and inserting “acting through”; and

17 (3) in subsection (f), by striking “2021 through
18 2025” and inserting “2026 through 2030”.

19 (b) ENHANCED SUPPORT TO ASSIST HEALTH DE-
20 PARTMENTS IN ADDRESSING VECTOR-BORNE DIS-
21 EASES.—Section 2822(c) of the Public Health Service Act

- 1 (42 U.S.C. 300hh–32(c)) is amended by striking “2021
- 2 through 2025” and inserting “2026 through 2030”.

Passed the Senate August 6, 2026.

Attest:

Secretary.

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