

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2381

To amend the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994
to allow certain grant funds to be used to provide parent education.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 3, 1997

Mr. DICKS (for himself, Mr. METCALF, Mr. FROST, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. BALDACCI, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. FURSE, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. CLEMENT, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. JEFFERSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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Act of 1994 to allow certain grant funds to be used
to provide parent education.

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. PARENT EDUCATION SYSTEM.**

2 Section 30201(a)(2) of the Violent Crime Control and
3 Law Enforcement Act of 1994 is amended by adding at
4 the end the following:

5 “(O) Voluntary, comprehensive, and cul-
6 turally-appropriate home visitor systems that
7 provide parenting education that focuses on
8 parenting skills, child development, child health,
9 and support services for new parents to prevent
10 or decrease the risk of child abuse. To avoid du-
11 plication of services, a system developed pursu-
12 ant to this paragraph shall be coordinated with
13 other organizations that provide services to chil-
14 dren, particularly infants.”.

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