

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1361

To amend the Controlled Substances Act to treat drug offenses involving crystal meth similarly to drug offenses involving crack cocaine.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 30, 2005

Mr. SCHUMER 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. PENALTIES FOR CRYSTAL METHAMPHET-**
4 **AMINE.**

5 (a) **SHORT TITLE.**—This Act may be cited as the
6 “Stop Crystal Meth Act of 2005”.

7 (b) **AMENDMENTS TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES**
8 **ACT.**—Section 401(b)(1) of the Controlled Substances Act
9 (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) is amended—

1 (1) by amending subparagraph (A)(viii) to read
2 as follows:

3 “(viii) 50 grams or more of a mixture or sub-
4 stance containing a detectable amount of meth-
5 amphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its iso-
6 mers;”; and

7 (2) by amending subparagraph (B)(viii) to read
8 as follows:

9 “(viii) 5 grams or more of a mixture or sub-
10 stance containing a detectable amount of meth-
11 amphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its iso-
12 mers;”.

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