

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 3923

To amend the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006 to expand the authority of governmental social service agencies with child protection responsibilities to access the national crime information databases.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 17, 2014

Ms. BASS (for herself, Ms. CHU, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. COOK, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. McDERMOTT, and Mr. LANGEVIN) introduced the following bill; which was 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. EXPANSION OF AUTHORITY OF GOVERN-**
2 **MENTAL SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES WITH**
3 **CHILD PROTECTION RESPONSIBILITIES TO**
4 **ACCESS THE NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION**
5 **DATABASES.**

6 Section 151(a)(2) of the Adam Walsh Child Protec-
7 tion and Safety Act of 2006 (42 U.S.C. 16961(a)(2)) is
8 amended by striking “, to be used by such agencies only
9 in investigating or responding to reports of child abuse,
10 neglect, or exploitation”.

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