

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 3968

To amend the Controlled Substances Act to allow the Attorney General to exempt a product from certain requirements if the Attorney General determines that it is not practical by processes known to be employed by clandestine laboratory operators to use the product in the illicit manufacture of methamphetamine.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 5, 2015

Mr. GUINTA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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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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 “Stop Meth Labs and
3 Enhance Patient Access Act of 2015”.

4 **SEC. 2. EXEMPTION FOR PRODUCTS IF IT IS NOT PRAC-**
5 **TICAL BY PROCESSES KNOWN TO BE EM-**
6 **PLOYED BY CLANDESTINE LABORATORY OP-**
7 **ERATORS TO USE THE PRODUCTS IN THE IL-**
8 **LICIT MANUFACTURE OF METHAMPHET-**
9 **AMINE.**

10 Section 310(e)(3) of the Controlled Substances Act
11 (21 U.S.C. 830(e)(3)) is amended by striking “if the At-
12 torney General determines that the product cannot be
13 used in the illicit manufacture of methamphetamine” and
14 inserting “if the Attorney General determines that it is
15 not practical by processes known to be employed by clan-
16 destine laboratory operators to use the product in the il-
17 licit manufacture of methamphetamine”.

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