

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6525

To amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to require students to undergo lead screenings.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 8, 2016

Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Lead-free Students
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. LEAD SCREENING.**

7 Subpart 2 of part F of title VIII of the Elementary
8 and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7901
9 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:

1 **“SEC. 8549D. LEAD SCREENING REQUIREMENT.**

2 “As a condition of receiving funds under this Act, a
3 local educational agency shall require that prior to enroll-
4 ing in an elementary school for the first time, a student
5 shall undergo a screening of the student’s blood lead
6 level.”.

7 **SEC. 3. TABLE OF CONTENTS.**

8 The table of contents in section 2 of the Elementary
9 and Secondary Education Act of 1965 is amended by in-
10 serting after the item relating to section 8549C the fol-
11 lowing:

“Sec. 8549D. Lead screening requirement.”.

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