

1 **Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.**

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4 **S. 1766**

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6 **To reauthorize the SAFER Act of 2013, and for other**
7 **purposes.**

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9 **Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be**
10 **printed**

11 **Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed**

12 **AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE INTENDED TO**
13 **BE PROPOSED BY _____**

14 **Viz:**

15 **Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:**

16 ~~Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in~~
17 ~~Congress assembled,~~

18 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

19 This Act may be cited as the “Sexual Assault Forensic Evidence Reporting Act of 2017” or the
20 “SAFER Act of 2017”.

21 **SEC. 2. PEDIATRIC SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE**
22 **EXAMINERS.**

23 Section 304(c)(2) of the DNA Sexual Assault Justice Act of 2004 (~~42(34 U.S.C. 14136a)~~
24 **40723(c)(2)**) is amended—

25 (1) by inserting “, both adult and pediatric,” after “role of forensic nurses”; and

26 (2) by striking “and elder abuse” and inserting “elder abuse, and, in particular, the need
27 for pediatric sexual assault nurse examiners, including such nurse examiners working in the
28 multidisciplinary setting, in responding to abuse of both children and adolescents”.

29 **SEC. 3. REDUCING THE RAPE KIT BACKLOG.**

30 (a) Reauthorization.—Section 2(c)(4) of the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000
31 (~~42(34 U.S.C. 14135(e)(4))~~ **40701(c)(4)**) is amended by striking “2017” and inserting “2022”.

32 (b) ~~Sunset.—Section Repeal of Sunset.~~

1 ~~(1) In general.—Section 1006 of the SAFER Act of 2013 (34 U.S.C. 40701 note) (42 U.S.C.~~
2 ~~14135 note) is repealed.~~

3 ~~(2) Technical and conforming amendment.—The table of contents for the Violence Against~~
4 ~~Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 (Public Law 1134; 127 Stat. 54) is amended by striking the~~
5 ~~item relating to section 1006~~**“2018” and inserting “2023”.**