

In the Senate of the United States,

December 18, 2018.

Resolved, That the Senate agree to the amendment of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 756) entitled "An Act to reauthorize and amend the Marine Debris Act to promote international action to reduce marine debris, and for other purposes.", with the following

SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE AMENDMENT:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment to the text of the bill, insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

- 2 (a) Short Title.—This Act may be cited as the
- 3 "First Step Act of 2018".
- 4 (b) Table of Contents for
- 5 this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

TITLE I—RECIDIVISM REDUCTION

Sec. 101. Risk and needs assessment system.

Sec. 102. Implementation of system and recommendations by Bureau of Prisons.

Sec. 103. GAO report.

Sec. 104. Authorization of appropriations.

- Sec. 105. Rule of construction.
- Sec. 106. Faith-based considerations.
- Sec. 107. Independent Review Committee.

TITLE II—BUREAU OF PRISONS SECURE FIREARMS STORAGE

- Sec. 201. Short title.
- Sec. 202. Secure firearms storage.

TITLE III—RESTRAINTS ON PREGNANT PRISONERS PROHIBITED

Sec. 301. Use of restraints on prisoners during the period of pregnancy and postpartum recovery prohibited.

TITLE IV—SENTENCING REFORM

- Sec. 401. Reduce and restrict enhanced sentencing for prior drug felonies.
- Sec. 402. Broadening of existing safety valve.
- Sec. 403. Clarification of section 924(c) of title 18, United States Code.
- Sec. 404. Application of Fair Sentencing Act.

TITLE V—SECOND CHANCE ACT OF 2007 REAUTHORIZATION

- Sec. 501. Short title.
- Sec. 502. Improvements to existing programs.
- Sec. 503. Audit and accountability of grantees.
- Sec. 504. Federal reentry improvements.
- Sec. 505. Federal interagency reentry coordination.
- Sec. 506. Conference expenditures.
- Sec. 507. Evaluation of the Second Chance Act program.
- Sec. 508. GAO review.

TITLE VI—MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- Sec. 601. Placement of prisoners close to families.
- Sec. 602. Home confinement for low-risk prisoners.
- Sec. 603. Federal prisoner reentry initiative reauthorization; modification of imposed term of imprisonment.
- Sec. 604. Identification for returning citizens.
- Sec. 605. Expanding inmate employment through Federal Prison Industries.
- Sec. 606. De-escalation training.
- Sec. 607. Evidence-Based treatment for opioid and heroin abuse.
- Sec. 608. Pilot programs.
- Sec. 609. Ensuring supervision of released sexually dangerous persons.
- Sec. 610. Data collection.
- Sec. 611. Healthcare products.
- Sec. 612. Adult and juvenile collaboration programs.
- Sec. 613. Juvenile solitary confinement.

1	TITLE I—RECIDIVISM
2	REDUCTION
3	SEC. 101. RISK AND NEEDS ASSESSMENT SYSTEM.
4	(a) In General.—Chapter 229 of title 18, United
5	States Code, is amended by inserting after subchapter C
6	the following:
7	"SUBCHAPTER D—RISK AND NEEDS
8	$ASSESSMENT\ SYSTEM$
	"Sec. "3631. Duties of the Attorney General. "3632. Development of risk and needs assessment system. "3633. Evidence-based recidivism reduction program and recommendations. "3634. Report. "3635. Definitions.
9	"§ 3631. Duties of the Attorney General
10	"(a) In General.—The Attorney General shall carry
11	out this subchapter in consultation with—
12	"(1) the Director of the Bureau of Prisons;
13	"(2) the Director of the Administrative Office of
14	the United States Courts;
15	"(3) the Director of the Office of Probation and
16	Pretrial Services;
17	"(4) the Director of the National Institute of
18	Justice;
19	"(5) the Director of the National Institute of
20	Corrections; and
21	"(6) the Independent Review Committee author-
22	ized by the First Step Act of 2018

1	"(b) Duties.—The Attorney General shall—
2	"(1) conduct a review of the existing prisoner
3	risk and needs assessment systems in operation on the
4	date of enactment of this subchapter;
5	"(2) develop recommendations regarding evi-
6	dence-based recidivism reduction programs and pro-
7	ductive activities in accordance with section 3633;
8	"(3) conduct ongoing research and data analysis
9	on—
10	"(A) evidence-based recidivism reduction
11	programs relating to the use of prisoner risk and
12	needs assessment tools;
13	"(B) the most effective and efficient uses of
14	such programs;
15	"(C) which evidence-based recidivism reduc-
16	tion programs are the most effective at reducing
17	recidivism, and the type, amount, and intensity
18	of programming that most effectively reduces the
19	risk of recidivism; and
20	"(D) products purchased by Federal agen-
21	cies that are manufactured overseas and could be
22	manufactured by prisoners participating in a
23	prison work program without reducing job op-
24	portunities for other workers in the United
25	States;

1	"(4) on an annual basis, review, validate, and
2	release publicly on the Department of Justice website
3	the risk and needs assessment system, which review
4	shall include—
5	"(A) any subsequent changes to the risk and
6	needs assessment system made after the date of
7	enactment of this subchapter;
8	"(B) the recommendations developed under
9	paragraph (2), using the research conducted
10	under paragraph (3);
11	"(C) an evaluation to ensure that the risk
12	and needs assessment system bases the assessment
13	of each prisoner's risk of recidivism on indica-
14	tors of progress and of regression that are dy-
15	namic and that can reasonably be expected to
16	change while in prison;
17	"(D) statistical validation of any tools that
18	the risk and needs assessment system uses; and
19	"(E) an evaluation of the rates of recidi-
20	vism among similarly classified prisoners to
21	identify any unwarranted disparities, including
22	disparities among similarly classified prisoners
23	of different demographic groups, in such rates;
24	"(5) make any revisions or updates to the risk
25	and needs assessment system that the Attorney Gen-

1	eral determines appropriate pursuant to the review
2	under paragraph (4), including updates to ensure
3	that any disparities identified in paragraph $(4)(E)$
4	are reduced to the greatest extent possible; and
5	"(6) report to Congress in accordance with sec-
6	tion 3634.
7	"§ 3632. Development of risk and needs assessment
8	system
9	"(a) In General.—Not later than 210 days after the
0	date of enactment of this subchapter, the Attorney General,
11	in consultation with the Independent Review Committee
12	authorized by the First Step Act of 2018, shall develop and
13	release publicly on the Department of Justice website a risk
14	and needs assessment system (referred to in this subchapter
15	as the 'System'), which shall be used to—
16	"(1) determine the recidivism risk of each pris-
17	oner as part of the intake process, and classify each
18	prisoner as having minimum, low, medium, or high
19	risk for recidivism;
20	"(2) assess and determine, to the extent prac-
21	ticable, the risk of violent or serious misconduct of
22	each prisoner;
23	"(3) determine the type and amount of evidence-
24	based recidivism reduction programming that is ap-
25	propriate for each prisoner and assign each prisoner

1	to such programming accordingly, and based on the
2	prisoner's specific criminogenic needs, and in accord-
3	ance with subsection (b);
4	"(4) reassess the recidivism risk of each prisoner
5	periodically, based on factors including indicators of
6	progress, and of regression, that are dynamic and
7	that can reasonably be expected to change while in
8	prison;
9	"(5) reassign the prisoner to appropriate evi-
10	dence-based recidivism reduction programs or produc-
11	tive activities based on the revised determination to
12	ensure that—
13	"(A) all prisoners at each risk level have a
14	meaningful opportunity to reduce their classi-
15	fication during the period of incarceration;
16	"(B) to address the specific criminogenic
17	needs of the prisoner; and
18	"(C) all prisoners are able to successfully
19	participate in such programs;
20	"(6) determine when to provide incentives and
21	rewards for successful participation in evidence-based
22	recidivism reduction programs or productive activi-
23	ties in accordance with subsection (e);

1	"(7) determine when a prisoner is ready to
2	transfer into prerelease custody or supervised release
3	in accordance with section 3624; and
4	"(8) determine the appropriate use of audio tech-
5	nology for program course materials with an under-
6	standing of dyslexia.
7	In carrying out this subsection, the Attorney General may
8	use existing risk and needs assessment tools, as appropriate.
9	"(b) Assignment of Evidence-based Recidivism
0	Reduction Programs.—The System shall provide guid-
11	ance on the type, amount, and intensity of evidence-based
12	recidivism reduction programming and productive activi-
13	ties that shall be assigned for each prisoner, including—
14	"(1) programs in which the Bureau of Prisons
15	shall assign the prisoner to participate, according to
16	the prisoner's specific criminogenic needs; and
17	"(2) information on the best ways that the Bu-
8	reau of Prisons can tailor the programs to the specific
19	criminogenic needs of each prisoner so as to most ef-
20	fectively lower each prisoner's risk of recidivism.
21	"(c) Housing and Assignment Decisions.—The
22	System shall provide guidance on program grouping and
23	housing assignment determinations and, after accounting
24	for the safety of each prisoner and other individuals at the
25	prison, provide that prisoners with a similar risk level be

1	grouped together in housing and assignment decisions to the
2	extent practicable.
3	"(d) Evidence-Based Recidivism Reduction Pro-
4	GRAM INCENTIVES AND PRODUCTIVE ACTIVITIES RE-
5	WARDS.—The System shall provide incentives and rewards
6	for prisoners to participate in and complete evidence-based
7	recidivism reduction programs as follows:
8	"(1) Phone and visitation privileges.—A
9	prisoner who is successfully participating in an evi-
10	dence-based recidivism reduction program shall re-
11	ceive—
12	"(A) phone privileges, or, if available, video
13	conferencing privileges, for up to 30 minutes per
14	day, and up to 510 minutes per month; and
15	"(B) additional time for visitation at the
16	prison, as determined by the warden of the pris-
17	on.
18	"(2) Transfer to institution closer to re-
19	LEASE RESIDENCE.—A prisoner who is successfully
20	participating in an evidence-based recidivism reduc-
21	tion program shall be considered by the Bureau of
22	Prisons for placement in a facility closer to the pris-
23	oner's release residence upon request from the prisoner
24	and subject to—

1	"(A) bed availability at the transfer facil-
2	ity;
3	"(B) the prisoner's security designation;
4	and
5	"(C) the recommendation from the warden
6	of the prison at which the prisoner is incarcer-
7	ated at the time of making the request.
8	"(3) Additional policies.—The Director of the
9	Bureau of Prisons shall develop additional policies to
10	provide appropriate incentives for successful partici-
11	pation and completion of evidence-based recidivism
12	reduction programming. The incentives shall include
13	not less than 2 of the following:
14	"(A) Increased commissary spending limits
15	and product offerings.
16	"(B) Extended opportunities to access the
17	email system.
18	"(C) Consideration of transfer to preferred
19	housing units (including transfer to different
20	prison facilities).
21	"(D) Other incentives solicited from pris-
22	oners and determined appropriate by the Direc-
23	tor.
24	"(4) Time credits.—

1	"(A) In general.—A prisoner, except for
2	an ineligible prisoner under subparagraph (D),
3	who successfully completes evidence-based recidi-
4	vism reduction programming or productive ac-
5	tivities, shall earn time credits as follows:
6	"(i) A prisoner shall earn 10 days of
7	time credits for every 30 days of successful
8	participation in evidence-based recidivism
9	reduction programming or productive ac-
10	tivities.
11	"(ii) A prisoner determined by the Bu-
12	reau of Prisons to be at a minimum or low
13	risk for recidivating, who, over 2 consecu-
14	tive assessments, has not increased their
15	risk of recidivism, shall earn an additional
16	5 days of time credits for every 30 days of
17	successful participation in evidence-based
18	recidivism reduction programming or pro-
19	ductive activities.
20	"(B) Availability.—A prisoner may not
21	earn time credits under this paragraph for an
22	evidence-based recidivism reduction program
23	that the prisoner successfully completed—
24	"(i) prior to the date of enactment of
25	this subchapter; or

1	"(ii) during official detention prior to
2	the date that the prisoner's sentence com-
3	mences under section $3585(a)$.
4	"(C) APPLICATION OF TIME CREDITS TO-
5	WARD PRERELEASE CUSTODY OR SUPERVISED
6	RELEASE.—Time credits earned under this para-
7	graph by prisoners who successfully participate
8	in recidivism reduction programs or productive
9	activities shall be applied toward time in
10	prerelease custody or supervised release. The Di-
11	rector of the Bureau of Prisons shall transfer eli-
12	gible prisoners, as determined under section
13	3624(g), into prerelease custody or supervised re-
14	lease.
15	"(D) Ineligible prisoners.—A prisoner
16	is ineligible to receive time credits under this
17	paragraph if the prisoner is serving a sentence
18	for a conviction under any of the following pro-
19	visions of law:
20	"(i) Section 32, relating to destruction
21	of aircraft or aircraft facilities.
22	"(ii) Section 33, relating to destruction
23	of motor vehicles or motor vehicle facilities.
24	"(iii) Section 36, relating to drive-by
25	shootings.

1	"(iv) Section 81, relating to arson
2	within special maritime and territorial ju-
3	risdiction.
4	"(v) Section 111(b), relating to as-
5	saulting, resisting, or impeding certain offi-
6	cers or employees using a deadly or dan-
7	gerous weapon or inflicting bodily injury.
8	"(vi) Paragraph (1), (7), or (8) of sec-
9	tion 113(a), relating to assault with intent
10	to commit murder, assault resulting in sub-
11	stantial bodily injury to a spouse or inti-
12	mate partner, a dating partner, or an indi-
13	vidual who has not attained the age of 16
14	years, or assault of a spouse, intimate part-
15	ner, or dating partner by strangling, suffo-
16	cating, or attempting to strangle or suf-
17	focate.
18	"(vii) Section 115, relating to influ-
19	encing, impeding, or retaliating against a
20	Federal official by injuring a family mem-
21	ber, except for a threat made in violation of
22	that section.
23	"(viii) Section 116, relating to female
24	genital mutilation

1	"(ix) Section 117, relating to domestic
2	assault by a habitual offender.
3	"(x) Any section of chapter 10, relating
4	to biological weapons.
5	"(xi) Any section of chapter 11B, relat-
6	ing to chemical weapons.
7	"(xii) Section 351, relating to Congres-
8	sional, Cabinet, and Supreme Court assas-
9	sination, kidnapping, and assault.
10	"(xiii) Section 521, relating to crimi-
11	nal street gangs.
12	"(xiv) Section 751, relating to pris-
13	oners in custody of an institution or officer.
14	"(xv) Section 793, relating to gath-
15	ering, transmitting, or losing defense infor-
16	mation.
17	"(xvi) Section 794, relating to gath-
18	ering or delivering defense information to
19	aid a foreign government.
20	"(xvii) Any section of chapter 39, re-
21	lating to explosives and other dangerous ar-
22	ticles, except for section 836 (relating to the
23	transportation of fireworks into a State
24	prohibiting sale or use).

1	"(xviii) Section 842(p), relating to dis-
2	tribution of information relating to explo-
3	sives, destructive devices, and weapons of
4	mass destruction, but only if the conviction
5	involved a weapon of mass destruction (as
6	defined in section $2332a(c)$).
7	"(xix) Subsection (f)(3), (h), or (i) of
8	section 844, relating to the use of fire or an
9	explosive.
10	"(xx) Section 871, relating to threats
11	against the President and successors to the
12	Presidency.
13	"(xxi) Section 879, relating to threats
14	against former Presidents and certain other
15	persons.
16	"(xxii) Section 924(c), relating to un-
17	lawful possession or use of a firearm during
18	and in relation to any crime of violence or
19	drug trafficking crime.
20	"(xxiii) Section 1030(a)(1), relating to
21	fraud and related activity in connection
22	with computers.
23	"(xxiv) Section 1091, relating to geno-
24	cide.

1	"(xxv) Any section of chapter 51, relat-
2	ing to homicide, except for section 1112 (re-
3	lating to manslaughter), 1113 (relating to
4	attempt to commit murder or manslaughter,
5	but only if the conviction was for an at-
6	tempt to commit manslaughter), 1115 (re-
7	lating to misconduct or neglect of ship offi-
8	cers), or 1122 (relating to protection
9	against the human immunodeficiency
10	virus).
11	"(xxvi) Any section of chapter 55, re-
12	lating to kidnapping.
13	"(xxvii) Any offense under chapter 77,
14	relating to peonage, slavery, and trafficking
15	in persons, except for sections 1593 through
16	1596.
17	"(xxviii) Section 1751, relating to
18	Presidential and Presidential staff assas-
19	sination, kidnapping, and assault.
20	"(xxix) Section 1791, relating to pro-
21	viding or possessing contraband in prison.
22	"(xxx) Section 1792, relating to mu-
23	tiny and riots.

1	"(xxxi) Section 1841(a)(2)(C), relating
2	to intentionally killing or attempting to kill
3	an unborn child.
4	"(xxxii) Section 1992, relating to ter-
5	rorist attacks and other violence against
6	railroad carriers and against mass trans-
7	portation systems on land, on water, or
8	through the air.
9	"(xxxiii) Section 2113(e), relating to
10	bank robbery resulting in death.
11	"(xxxiv) Section 2118(c), relating to
12	robberies and burglaries involving controlled
13	substances resulting in assault, putting in
14	jeopardy the life of any person by the use
15	of a dangerous weapon or device, or death.
16	"(xxxv) Section 2119, relating to tak-
17	ing a motor vehicle (commonly referred to
18	as 'carjacking').
19	"(xxxvi) Any section of chapter 105,
20	relating to sabotage, except for section 2152.
21	"(xxxvii) Any section of chapter 109A,
22	relating to sexual abuse.
23	"(xxxviii) Section 2250, relating to
24	failure to register as a sex offender.

1	"(xxxix) Section 2251, relating to the
2	sexual exploitation of children.
3	"(xl) Section 2251A, relating to the
4	selling or buying of children.
5	"(xli) Section 2252, relating to certain
6	activities relating to material involving the
7	sexual exploitation of minors.
8	"(xlii) Section 2252A, relating to cer-
9	tain activities involving material consti-
10	tuting or containing child pornography.
11	"(xliii) Section 2260, relating to the
12	production of sexually explicit depictions of
13	a minor for importation into the United
14	States.
15	"(xliv) Section 2283, relating to the
16	transportation of explosive, biological, chem-
17	ical, or radioactive or nuclear materials.
18	"(xlv) Section 2284, relating to the
19	transportation of terrorists.
20	"(xlvi) Section 2291, relating to the de-
21	struction of a vessel or maritime facility,
22	but only if the conduct that led to the con-
23	viction involved a substantial risk of death
24	or serious bodily injury.

1	"(xlvii) Any section of chapter 113B,
2	relating to terrorism.
3	"(xlviii) Section 2340A, relating to
4	torture.
5	"(xlix) Section 2381, relating to trea-
6	son.
7	"(l) Section 2442, relating to the re-
8	cruitment or use of child soldiers.
9	"(li) An offense described in section
10	3559(c)(2)(F), for which the offender was
11	sentenced to a term of imprisonment of
12	more than 1 year, if the offender has a pre-
13	vious conviction, for which the offender
14	served a term of imprisonment of more than
15	1 year, for a Federal or State offense, by
16	whatever designation and wherever com-
17	mitted, consisting of murder (as described
18	in section 1111), voluntary manslaughter
19	(as described in section 1112), assault with
20	intent to commit murder (as described in
21	section 113(a)), aggravated sexual abuse
22	and sexual abuse (as described in sections
23	2241 and 2242), abusive sexual contact (as
24	described in sections $2244(a)(1)$ and $(a)(2)$,
25	kidnappina (as described in chapter 55).

1	carjacking (as described in section 2119),
2	arson (as described in section 844(f)(3), (h),
3	or (i)), or terrorism (as described in chapter
4	113B).
5	"(lii) Section 57(b) of the Atomic En-
6	ergy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2077(b)), relat-
7	ing to the engagement or participation in
8	the development or production of special nu-
9	clear material.
10	"(liii) Section 92 of the Atomic Energy
11	Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2122), relating to
12	prohibitions governing atomic weapons.
13	"(liv) Section 101 of the Atomic En-
14	ergy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2131), relating
15	to the atomic energy license requirement.
16	"(lv) Section 224 or 225 of the Atomic
17	Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2274, 2275),
18	relating to the communication or receipt of
19	restricted data.
20	"(lvi) Section 236 of the Atomic En-
21	ergy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2284), relating
22	to the sabotage of nuclear facilities or fuel.
23	"(lvii) Section 60123(b) of title 49, re-
24	lating to damaging or destroying a pipeline
25	facility, but only if the conduct which led to

1	the conviction involved a substantial risk of
2	death or serious bodily injury.
3	"(lviii) Section 401(a) of the Con-
4	trolled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 841), re-
5	lating to manufacturing or distributing a
6	controlled substance in the case of a convic-
7	tion for an offense described in subpara-
8	graph (A), (B), or (C) of subsection (b)(1)
9	of that section for which death or serious
10	bodily injury resulted from the use of such
11	substance.
12	"(lix) Section 276(a) of the Immigra-
13	tion and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1326),
14	relating to the reentry of a removed alien,
15	but only if the alien is described in para-
16	graph (1) or (2) of subsection (b) of that
17	section.
18	"(lx) Section 277 of the Immigration
19	and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1327), relat-
20	ing to aiding or assisting certain aliens to
21	enter the United States.
22	"(lxi) Section 278 of the Immigration
23	and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1328), relat-
24	ing to the importation of an alien into the
25	United States for an immoral purpose.

1	"(lxii) Any section of the Export Ad-
2	ministration Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. 4611 et
3	seq.)
4	"(lxiii) Section 206 of the Inter-
5	national Emergency Economic Powers Act
6	(50 U.S.C. 1705).
7	"(lxiv) Section 601 of the National Se-
8	curity Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3121), relat-
9	ing to the protection of identities of certain
10	United States undercover intelligence offi-
11	cers, agents, informants, and sources.
12	"(lxv) Subparagraph (A)(i) or (B)(i)
13	of section 401(b)(1) of the Controlled Sub-
14	stances Act (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) or para-
15	$graph \ (1)(A) \ or \ (2)(A) \ of \ section \ 1010(b) \ of$
16	the Controlled Substances Import and Ex-
17	port Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)), relating to
18	manufacturing, distributing, dispensing, or
19	possessing with intent to manufacture, dis-
20	tribute, dispense, or knowingly importing or
21	exporting, a mixture or substance con-
22	taining a detectable amount of heroin if the
23	sentencing court finds that the offender was
24	an organizer, leader, manager, or supervisor
25	of others in the offense, as determined under

1 the guidelines promulgated by the United 2 States Sentencing Commission. 3 "(lxvi) Subparagraph (A)(vi)or (B)(vi) of section 401(b)(1) of the Controlled 4 5 Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) or paragraph (1)(F) or (2)(F) of section 6 7 1010(b) of the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)), relating 8 9 to manufacturing, distributing, dispensing, 10 or possessing with intent to manufacture, 11 distribute, or dispense, a mixture or sub-12 stance containing a detectable amount of N-13 phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] 14 propanamide, or any analogue thereof. 15 "(lxvii) Subparagraph (A)(viii) 16 (B)(viii) of section 401(b)(1) of the Con-17 trolled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) 18 or paragraph (1)(H) or (2)(H) of section 19 1010(b) the Controlled Substances Import 20 and Export Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)), relating 21 to manufacturing, distributing, dispensing, 22 or possessing with intent to manufacture, 23 distribute, or dispense, or knowingly im-24 porting or exporting, a mixture of substance

containing a detectable amount of meth-

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1	amphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of
2	its isomers, if the sentencing court finds
3	that the offender was an organizer, leader,
4	manager, or supervisor of others in the of-
5	fense, as determined under the guidelines
6	promulgated by the United States Sen-
7	tencing Commission.
8	"(lxviii) Subparagraph (A) or (B) of
9	section 401(b)(1) of the Controlled Sub-
10	stances Act (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) or para-
11	graph (1) or (2) of section 1010(b) of the
12	Controlled Substances Import and Export
13	Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)), relating to manu-
14	facturing, distributing, dispensing, or pos-
15	sessing with intent to manufacture, dis-
16	tribute, or dispense, a controlled substance,
17	or knowingly importing or exporting a con-
18	trolled substance, if the sentencing court
19	finds that—
20	"(I) the offense involved a mixture
21	or substance containing a detectable
22	amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-
23	$phenylethyl) \hbox{-} 4\hbox{-} piperidinyl]$
24	propanamide, or any analogue thereof;
25	and

1	"(II) the offender was an orga-
2	nizer, leader, manager, or supervisor of
3	others in the offense, as determined
4	under the guidelines promulgated by
5	the United States Sentencing Commis-
6	sion.
7	"(E) Deportable prisoners ineligible
8	TO APPLY TIME CREDITS.—
9	"(i) In general.—A prisoner is ineli-
10	gible to apply time credits under subpara-
11	graph (C) if the prisoner is the subject of a
12	final order of removal under any provision
13	of the immigration laws (as such term is
14	defined in section 101(a)(17) of the Immi-
15	gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
16	1101(a)(17))).
17	"(ii) Proceedings.—The Attorney
18	General, in consultation with the Secretary
19	of Homeland Security, shall ensure that
20	any alien described in section 212 or 237 of
21	the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
22	U.S.C. 1182, 1227) who seeks to earn time
23	credits are subject to proceedings described
24	in section 238(a) of that Act (8 U.S.C.

1 1228(a)) at a date as early as practicable 2 during the prisoner's incarceration.

- "(5) Risk reassessments and level adjust-MENT.—A prisoner who successfully participates in evidence-based recidivism reduction programming or productive activities shall receive periodic risk reassessments not less often than annually, and a prisoner determined to be at a medium or high risk of recidivating and who has less than 5 years until his or her projected release date shall receive more frequent risk reassessments. If the reassessment shows that the prisoner's risk of recidivating or specific needs have changed, the Bureau of Prisons shall update the determination of the prisoner's risk of recidivating or information regarding the prisoner's specific needs and reassign the prisoner to appropriate evidence-based recidivism reduction programming or productive activities based on such changes.
- "(6) RELATION TO OTHER INCENTIVE PRO-GRAMS.—The incentives described in this subsection shall be in addition to any other rewards or incentives for which a prisoner may be eligible.
- "(e) PENALTIES.—The Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall develop guidelines for the reduction of rewards and incentives earned under subsection (d) for prisoners who

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1	violate prison rules or evidence-based recidivism reduction
2	program or productive activity rules, which shall provide—
3	"(1) general levels of violations and resulting re-
4	ductions;
5	"(2) that any reduction that includes the loss of
6	time credits shall require written notice to the pris-
7	oner, shall be limited to time credits that a prisoner
8	earned as of the date of the prisoner's rule violation,
9	and shall not include any future time credits that the
10	prisoner may earn; and
11	"(3) for a procedure to restore time credits that
12	a prisoner lost as a result of a rule violation, based
13	on the prisoner's individual progress after the date of
14	the rule violation.
15	"(f) Bureau of Prisons Training.—The Attorney
16	General shall develop and implement training programs for
17	Bureau of Prisons officers and employees responsible for ad-
18	ministering the System, which shall include—
19	"(1) initial training to educate officers and em-
20	ployees on how to use the System in an appropriate
21	and consistent manner, as well as the reasons for
22	using the System;
23	"(2) continuing education;
24	"(3) periodic training updates; and

1	"(4) a requirement that such officers and em-
2	ployees demonstrate competence in administering the
3	System, including interrater reliability, on a bian-
4	nual basis.
5	"(g) Quality Assurance.—In order to ensure that
6	the Bureau of Prisons is using the System in an appro-
7	priate and consistent manner, the Attorney General shall
8	monitor and assess the use of the System, which shall in-
9	clude conducting annual audits of the Bureau of Prisons
0	regarding the use of the System.
11	"(h) Dyslexia Screening.—
12	"(1) Screening.—The Attorney General shall
13	incorporate a dyslexia screening program into the
14	System, including by screening for dyslexia during—
15	"(A) the intake process; and
16	"(B) each periodic risk reassessment of a
17	prisoner.
18	"(2) Treatment.—The Attorney General shall
19	incorporate programs designed to treat dyslexia into
20	the evidence-based recidivism reduction programs or
21	productive activities required to be implemented
22	under this section. The Attorney General may also in-
23	corporate programs designed to treat other learning
24	disabilities.

1	"§ 3633. Evidence-based recidivism reduction program
2	and recommendations
3	"(a) In General.—Prior to releasing the System, in
4	consultation with the Independent Review Committee au-
5	thorized by the First Step Act of 2018, the Attorney General
6	shall—
7	"(1) review the effectiveness of evidence-based re-
8	cidivism reduction programs that exist as of the date
9	of enactment of this subchapter in prisons operated by
10	the Bureau of Prisons;
11	"(2) review available information regarding the
12	effectiveness of evidence-based recidivism reduction
13	programs and productive activities that exist in
14	State-operated prisons throughout the United States;
15	"(3) identify the most effective evidence-based re-
16	cidivism reduction programs;
17	"(4) review the policies for entering into evi-
18	dence-based recidivism reduction partnerships de-
19	scribed in section 3621(h)(5); and
20	"(5) direct the Bureau of Prisons regarding—
21	"(A) evidence-based recidivism reduction
22	programs;
23	"(B) the ability for faith-based organiza-
24	tions to function as a provider of educational
25	evidence-based programs outside of the religious

1	classes and services provided through the Chap-
2	laincy; and
3	"(C) the addition of any new effective evi-
4	dence-based recidivism reduction programs that
5	the Attorney General finds.
6	"(b) REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING
7	Dyslexia Mitigation.—In carrying out subsection (a),
8	the Attorney General shall consider the prevalence and
9	mitigation of dyslexia in prisons, including by—
10	"(1) reviewing statistics on the prevalence of
11	dyslexia, and the effectiveness of any programs imple-
12	mented to mitigate the effects of dyslexia, in prisons
13	operated by the Bureau of Prisons and State-operated
14	prisons throughout the United States; and
15	"(2) incorporating the findings of the Attorney
16	General under paragraph (1) of this subsection into
17	any directives given to the Bureau of Prisons under
18	paragraph (5) of subsection (a).
19	"§ 3634. Report
20	"Beginning on the date that is 2 years after the date
21	of enactment of this subchapter, and annually thereafter for
22	a period of 5 years, the Attorney General shall submit a
23	report to the Committees on the Judiciary of the Senate
24	and the House of Representatives and the Subcommittees
25	on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies of the

1	Committees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House
2	of Representatives that contains the following:
3	"(1) A summary of the activities and accom-
4	plishments of the Attorney General in carrying out
5	$this\ Act.$
6	"(2) A summary and assessment of the types and
7	effectiveness of the evidence-based recidivism reduction
8	programs and productive activities in prisons oper-
9	ated by the Bureau of Prisons, including—
10	"(A) evidence about which programs have
11	been shown to reduce recidivism;
12	"(B) the capacity of each program and ac-
13	tivity at each prison, including the number of
14	prisoners along with the recidivism risk of each
15	prisoner enrolled in each program; and
16	"(C) identification of any gaps or shortages
17	in capacity of such programs and activities.
18	"(3) Rates of recidivism among individuals who
19	have been released from Federal prison, based on the
20	following criteria:
21	"(A) The primary offense of conviction.
22	"(B) The length of the sentence imposed and
23	served.

1	"(C) The Bureau of Prisons facility or fa-
2	cilities in which the prisoner's sentence was
3	served.
4	"(D) The evidence-based recidivism reduc-
5	tion programming that the prisoner successfully
6	completed, if any.
7	"(E) The prisoner's assessed and reassessed
8	risk of recidivism.
9	"(F) The productive activities that the pris-
10	oner successfully completed, if any.
11	"(4) The status of prison work programs at fa-
12	cilities operated by the Bureau of Prisons, includ-
13	ing—
14	"(A) a strategy to expand the availability of
15	such programs without reducing job opportuni-
16	ties for workers in the United States who are not
17	in the custody of the Bureau of Prisons, includ-
18	ing the feasibility of prisoners manufacturing
19	products purchased by Federal agencies that are
20	manufactured overseas;
21	"(B) an assessment of the feasibility of ex-
22	panding such programs, consistent with the
23	strategy required under subparagraph (A), with
24	the goal that 5 years after the date of enactment
25	of this subchapter, not less than 75 percent of eli-

1	gible minimum- and low-risk offenders have the
2	opportunity to participate in a prison work pro-
3	gram for not less than 20 hours per week; and
4	"(C) a detailed discussion of legal authori-
5	ties that would be useful or necessary to achieve
6	the goals described in subparagraphs (A) and
7	(B).
8	"(5) An assessment of the Bureau of Prisons'
9	compliance with section 3621(h).
10	"(6) An assessment of progress made toward car-
11	rying out the purposes of this subchapter, including
12	any savings associated with—
13	"(A) the transfer of prisoners into prerelease
14	custody or supervised release under section
15	3624(g), including savings resulting from the
16	avoidance or deferral of future construction, ac-
17	quisition, and operations costs; and
18	"(B) any decrease in recidivism that may
19	be attributed to the System or the increase in
20	evidence-based recidivism reduction programs re-
21	quired under this subchapter.
22	"(7) An assessment of budgetary savings result-
23	ing from this subchapter, including—
24	"(A) a summary of the amount of savings
25	resulting from the transfer of prisoners into

1	prerelease custody under this chapter, including
2	savings resulting from the avoidance or deferral
3	of future construction, acquisition, or operations
4	costs;
5	"(B) a summary of the amount of savings
6	resulting from any decrease in recidivism that
7	may be attributed to the implementation of the
8	risk and needs assessment system or the increase
9	in recidivism reduction programs and productive
10	activities required by this subchapter;
11	"(C) a strategy to reinvest the savings de-
12	scribed in subparagraphs (A) and (B) in other—
13	"(i) Federal, State, and local law en-
14	forcement activities; and
15	"(ii) expansions of recidivism reduc-
16	tion programs and productive activities in
17	the Bureau of Prisons; and
18	"(D) a description of how the reduced ex-
19	penditures on Federal corrections and the budg-
20	etary savings resulting from this subchapter are
21	currently being used and will be used to—
22	"(i) increase investment in law en-
23	forcement and crime prevention to combat
24	gangs of national significance and high-
25	level drug traffickers through the High In-

1	tensity Drug Trafficking Areas Program
2	and other task forces;
3	"(ii) hire, train, and equip law en-
4	forcement officers and prosecutors; and
5	"(iii) promote crime reduction pro-
6	grams using evidence-based practices and
7	strategic planning to help reduce crime and
8	$criminal\ recidivism.$
9	"(8) Statistics on—
10	"(A) the prevalence of dyslexia among pris-
11	oners in prisons operated by the Bureau of Pris-
12	ons; and
13	"(B) any change in the effectiveness of dys-
14	lexia mitigation programs among such prisoners
15	that may be attributed to the incorporation of
16	dyslexia screening into the System and of dys-
17	lexia treatment into the evidence-based recidi-
18	vism reduction programs, as required under this
19	chapter.
20	"§ 3635. Definitions
21	"In this subchapter the following definitions apply:
22	"(1) Dyslexia.—The term 'dyslexia' means an
23	unexpected difficulty in reading for an individual
24	who has the intelligence to be a much better reader,
25	most commonly caused by a difficulty in the phono-

1	logical processing (the appreciation of the individual
2	sounds of spoken language), which affects the ability
3	of an individual to speak, read, and spell.
4	"(2) Dyslexia screening program.—The term
5	'dyslexia screening program' means a screening pro-
6	gram for dyslexia that is—
7	"(A) evidence-based (as defined in section
8	8101(21) of the Elementary and Secondary Edu-
9	cation Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7801(21))) with
10	proven psychometrics for validity;
11	"(B) efficient and low-cost; and
12	"(C) readily available.
13	"(3) Evidence-based recidivism reduction
14	PROGRAM.—The term 'evidence-based recidivism re-
15	duction program' means either a group or individual
16	activity that—
17	"(A) has been shown by empirical evidence
18	to reduce recidivism or is based on research indi-
19	cating that it is likely to be effective in reducing
20	recidivism;
21	"(B) is designed to help prisoners succeed in
22	their communities upon release from prison; and
23	"(C) may include—

1	"(i) social learning and communica-
2	tion, interpersonal, anti-bullying, rejection
3	response, and other life skills;
4	"(ii) family relationship building,
5	structured parent-child interaction, and
6	parenting skills;
7	"(iii) classes on morals or ethics;
8	"(iv) academic classes;
9	"(v) cognitive behavioral treatment;
10	"(vi) mentoring;
11	"(vii) substance abuse treatment;
12	"(viii) vocational training;
13	"(ix) faith-based classes or services;
14	"(x) civic engagement and reintegra-
15	tive community services;
16	"(xi) a prison job, including through a
17	prison work program;
18	"(xii) victim impact classes or other
19	restorative justice programs; and
20	"(xiii) trauma counseling and trauma-
21	informed support programs.
22	"(4) Prisoner.—The term 'prisoner' means a
23	person who has been sentenced to a term of imprison-
24	ment pursuant to a conviction for a Federal criminal

1	offense, or a person in the custody of the Bureau of
2	Prisons.
3	"(5) Productive activity.—The term 'produc-
4	tive activity' means either a group or individual ac-
5	tivity that is designed to allow prisoners determined
6	as having a minimum or low risk of recidivating to
7	remain productive and thereby maintain a minimum
8	or low risk of recidivating, and may include the de-
9	livery of the programs described in paragraph (1) to
10	other prisoners.
11	"(6) Risk and needs assessment tool.—The
12	term 'risk and needs assessment tool' means an objec-
13	tive and statistically validated method through which
14	information is collected and evaluated to determine—
15	"(A) as part of the intake process, the risk
16	that a prisoner will recidivate upon release from
17	prison;
18	"(B) the recidivism reduction programs
19	that will best minimize the risk that the prisoner
20	will recidivate upon release from prison; and
21	"(C) the periodic reassessment of risk that
22	a prisoner will recidivate upon release from pris-
23	on, based on factors including indicators of
24	progress and of regression, that are dynamic and

1	that can reasonably be expected to change while
2	in prison.".
3	(b) Clerical Amendment.—The table of subchapters
4	for chapter 229 of title 18, United States Code, is amended
5	by adding at the end the following:
	"D. Risk and Needs Assessment
6	SEC. 102. IMPLEMENTATION OF SYSTEM AND REC-
7	OMMENDATIONS BY BUREAU OF PRISONS.
8	(a) Implementation of System Generally.—Sec-
9	tion 3621 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by
10	adding at the end the following:
11	"(h) Implementation of Risk and Needs Assess-
12	MENT System.—
13	"(1) In general.—Not later than 180 days
14	after the Attorney General completes and releases the
15	risk and needs assessment system (referred to in this
16	subsection as the 'System') developed under sub-
17	chapter D, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons
18	shall, in accordance with that subchapter—
19	"(A) implement and complete the initial in-
20	take risk and needs assessment for each prisoner
21	(including for each prisoner who was a prisoner
22	prior to the effective date of this subsection), re-
23	gardless of the prisoner's length of imposed term
24	of imprisonment, and begin to assign prisoners

1	to appropriate evidence-based recidivism reduc-
2	tion programs based on that determination;
3	"(B) begin to expand the effective evidence-
4	based recidivism reduction programs and pro-
5	ductive activities it offers and add any new evi-
6	dence-based recidivism reduction programs and
7	productive activities necessary to effectively im-
8	plement the System; and
9	"(C) begin to implement the other risk and
10	needs assessment tools necessary to effectively im-
11	plement the System over time, while prisoners
12	are participating in and completing the effective
13	evidence-based recidivism reduction programs
14	and productive activities.
15	"(2) Phase-in.—In order to carry out para-
16	graph (1), so that every prisoner has the opportunity
17	to participate in and complete the type and amount
18	of evidence-based recidivism reduction programs or
19	productive activities they need, and be reassessed for
20	recidivism risk as necessary to effectively implement
21	the System, the Bureau of Prisons shall—
22	"(A) provide such evidence-based recidivism
23	reduction programs and productive activities for
24	all prisoners before the date that is 2 years after
25	the date on which the Bureau of Prisons com-

- pletes a risk and needs assessment for each pris oner under paragraph (1)(A); and
 - "(B) develop and validate the risk and needs assessment tool to be used in the reassessments of risk of recidivism, while prisoners are participating in and completing evidence-based recidivism reduction programs and productive activities.
 - "(3) PRIORITY DURING PHASE-IN.—During the 2-year period described in paragraph (2)(A), the priority for such programs and activities shall be accorded based on a prisoner's proximity to release date.
 - "(4) Preliminary expansion of evidence-Based recidivism reduction programs and productive activities that exist at a prison as of such date, and may described in subchapter D.
 - "(5) Recidivism reduction partnerships.— In order to expand evidence-based recidivism reduc-

1	tion programs and productive activities, the Attorney
2	General shall develop policies for the warden of each
3	prison of the Bureau of Prisons to enter into partner-
4	ships, subject to the availability of appropriations,
5	with any of the following:
6	"(A) Nonprofit and other private organiza-
7	tions, including faith-based, art, and commu-
8	nity-based organizations that will deliver recidi-
9	vism reduction programming on a paid or vol-
10	unteer basis.
11	"(B) Institutions of higher education (as de-
12	fined in section 101 of the Higher Education Act
13	of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1001)) that will deliver in-
14	struction on a paid or volunteer basis.
15	"(C) Private entities that will—
16	"(i) deliver vocational training and
17	certifications;
18	"(ii) provide equipment to facilitate
19	vocational training or employment opportu-
20	nities for prisoners;
21	"(iii) employ prisoners; or
22	"(iv) assist prisoners in prerelease cus-
23	tody or supervised release in finding em-
24	ployment.

1	"(D) Industry-sponsored organizations that
2	will deliver workforce development and training,
3	on a paid or volunteer basis.
4	"(6) Requirement to provide programs to
5	ALL PRISONERS; PRIORITY.—The Director of the Bu-
6	reau of Prisons shall provide all prisoners with the
7	opportunity to actively participate in evidence-based
8	recidivism reduction programs or productive activi-
9	ties, according to their specific criminogenic needs,
10	throughout their entire term of incarceration. Priority
11	for participation in recidivism reduction programs
12	shall be given to medium-risk and high-risk prisoners,
13	with access to productive activities given to min-
14	imum-risk and low-risk prisoners.
15	"(7) Definitions.—The terms in this subsection
16	have the meaning given those terms in section 3635.".
17	(b) Prerelease Custody.—
18	(1) In General.—Section 3624 of title 18,
19	United States Code, is amended—
20	(A) in subsection $(b)(1)$ —
21	(i) by striking ", beyond the time
22	served, of up to 54 days at the end of each
23	year of the prisoner's term of imprisonment,
24	beginning at the end of the first year of the
25	term," and inserting "of up to 54 days for

1	each year of the prisoner's sentence imposed
2	by the court,"; and
3	(ii) by striking "credit for the last year
4	or portion of a year of the term of impris-
5	onment shall be prorated and credited with-
6	in the last six weeks of the sentence" and
7	inserting "credit for the last year of a term
8	of imprisonment shall be credited on the
9	first day of the last year of the term of im-
10	prisonment"; and
11	(B) by adding at the end the following:
12	"(g) Prerelease Custody or Supervised Re-
13	Lease for Risk and Needs Assessment System Par-
14	TICIPANTS.—
15	"(1) Eligible prisoners.—This subsection ap-
16	plies in the case of a prisoner (as such term is defined
17	in section 3635) who—
18	"(A) has earned time credits under the risk
19	and needs assessment system developed under
20	subchapter D (referred to in this subsection as
21	the 'System') in an amount that is equal to the
22	remainder of the prisoner's imposed term of im-
23	prisonment;
24	"(B) has shown through the periodic risk re-
25	assessments a demonstrated recidivism risk re-

1	duction or has maintained a minimum or low
2	recidivism risk, during the prisoner's term of im-
3	prisonment;
4	"(C) has had the remainder of the prisoner's
5	imposed term of imprisonment computed under
6	applicable law; and
7	" $(D)(i)$ in the case of a prisoner being
8	placed in prerelease custody, the prisoner—
9	"(I) has been determined under the
10	System to be a minimum or low risk to
11	recidivate pursuant to the last 2 reassess-
12	ments of the prisoner; or
13	"(II) has had a petition to be trans-
14	ferred to prerelease custody or supervised re-
15	lease approved by the warden of the prison,
16	after the warden's determination that—
17	"(aa) the prisoner would not be a
18	danger to society if transferred to
19	prerelease custody or supervised re-
20	lease;
21	"(bb) the prisoner has made a
22	good faith effort to lower their recidi-
23	vism risk through participation in re-
24	cidivism reduction programs or pro-
25	ductive activities: and

1	"(cc) the prisoner is unlikely to
2	$recidivate;\ or$
3	"(ii) in the case of a prisoner being placed
4	in supervised release, the prisoner has been deter-
5	mined under the System to be a minimum or
6	low risk to recidivate pursuant to the last reas-
7	sessment of the prisoner.
8	"(2) Types of prefelease custody.—A pris-
9	oner shall be placed in prerelease custody as follows:
10	"(A) Home confinement.—
11	"(i) In general.—A prisoner placed
12	in prerelease custody pursuant to this sub-
13	section who is placed in home confinement
14	shall—
15	"(I) be subject to 24-hour elec-
16	tronic monitoring that enables the
17	prompt identification of the prisoner,
18	location, and time, in the case of any
19	violation of subclause (II);
20	"(II) remain in the prisoner's res-
21	idence, except that the prisoner may
22	leave the prisoner's home in order to,
23	subject to the approval of the Director
24	of the Bureau of Prisons—

1	"(aa) perform a job or job-re-
2	lated activities, including an ap-
3	prenticeship, or participate in
4	$job\text{-}seeking\ activities;$
5	"(bb) participate in evidence-
6	based recidivism reduction pro-
7	gramming or productive activities
8	assigned by the System, or similar
9	activities;
10	"(cc) perform community
11	service;
12	"(dd) participate in crime
13	$victim\ restoration\ activities;$
14	"(ee) receive medical treat-
15	ment;
16	"(ff) attend religious activi-
17	ties; or
18	"(gg) participate in other
19	family-related activities that fa-
20	cilitate the prisoner's successful
21	reentry such as a family funeral,
22	a family wedding, or to visit a
23	family member who is seriously
24	$ill;\ and$

1	"(III) comply with such other
2	conditions as the Director determines
3	appropriate.
4	"(ii) Alternate means of moni-
5	TORING.—If the electronic monitoring of a
6	$prisoner\ described\ in\ clause\ (i)(I)\ is\ infeasi-$
7	ble for technical or religious reasons, the Di-
8	rector of the Bureau of Prisons may use al-
9	ternative means of monitoring a prisoner
10	placed in home confinement that the Direc-
11	tor determines are as effective or more effec-
12	tive than the electronic monitoring described
13	in clause $(i)(I)$.
14	"(iii) Modifications.—The Director
15	of the Bureau of Prisons may modify the
16	conditions described in clause (i) if the Di-
17	rector determines that a compelling reason
18	exists to do so, and that the prisoner has
19	demonstrated exemplary compliance with
20	such conditions.
21	"(iv) Duration.—Except as provided
22	in paragraph (4), a prisoner who is placed
23	in home confinement shall remain in home
24	confinement until the prisoner has served

- not less than 85 percent of the prisoner's
 imposed term of imprisonment.
 - "(B) RESIDENTIAL REENTRY CENTER.—A prisoner placed in prerelease custody pursuant to this subsection who is placed at a residential reentry center shall be subject to such conditions as the Director of the Bureau of Prisons determines appropriate.
 - "(3) Supervised release.—If the sentencing court included as a part of the prisoner's sentence a requirement that the prisoner be placed on a term of supervised release after imprisonment pursuant to section 3583, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons may transfer the prisoner to begin any such term of supervised release at an earlier date, not to exceed 12 months, based on the application of time credits under section 3632.
 - "(4) Determination of conditions.—In determining appropriate conditions for prisoners placed in prerelease custody pursuant to this subsection, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall, to the extent practicable, provide that increasingly less restrictive conditions shall be imposed on prisoners who demonstrate continued compliance with the conditions of

- such prerelease custody, so as to most effectively pre pare such prisoners for reentry.
 - "(5) VIOLATIONS OF CONDITIONS.—If a prisoner violates a condition of the prisoner's prerelease custody, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons may impose such additional conditions on the prisoner's prerelease custody as the Director of the Bureau of Prisons determines appropriate, or revoke the prisoner's prerelease custody and require the prisoner to serve the remainder of the term of imprisonment to which the prisoner was sentenced, or any portion thereof, in prison. If the violation is nontechnical in nature, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall revoke the prisoner's prerelease custody.
 - "(6) Issuance of Guidelines.—The Attorney General, in consultation with the Assistant Director for the Office of Probation and Pretrial Services, shall issue guidelines for use by the Bureau of Prisons in determining—
 - "(A) the appropriate type of prerelease custody or supervised release and level of supervision for a prisoner placed on prerelease custody pursuant to this subsection; and
- 24 "(B) consequences for a violation of a con-25 dition of such prerelease custody by such a pris-

1	oner, including a return to prison and a reas-
2	sessment of evidence-based recidivism risk level
3	under the System.
4	"(7) Agreements with united states proba-
5	TION AND PRETRIAL SERVICES.—The Director of the
6	Bureau of Prisons shall, to the greatest extent prac-
7	ticable, enter into agreements with United States Pro-
8	bation and Pretrial Services to supervise prisoners
9	placed in home confinement under this subsection.
10	Such agreements shall—
11	"(A) authorize United States Probation and
12	Pretrial Services to exercise the authority grant-
13	ed to the Director pursuant to paragraphs (3)
14	and (4); and
15	"(B) take into account the resource require-
16	ments of United States Probation and Pretrial
17	Services as a result of the transfer of Bureau of
18	Prisons prisoners to prerelease custody or super-
19	vised release.
20	"(8) Assistance.—United States Probation and
21	Pretrial Services shall, to the greatest extent prac-
22	ticable, offer assistance to any prisoner not under its
23	supervision during prerelease custody under this sub-
24	section.

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- "(9) MENTORING, REENTRY, AND SPIRITUAL SERVICES.—Any prerelease custody into which a prisoner is placed under this subsection may not include a condition prohibiting the prisoner from receiving mentoring, reentry, or spiritual services from a person who provided such services to the prisoner while the prisoner was incarcerated, except that the warden of the facility at which the prisoner was incarcerated may waive the requirement under this paragraph if the warden finds that the provision of such services would pose a significant security risk to the prisoner, persons who provide such services, or any other person. The warden shall provide written notice of any such waiver to the person providing such services and to the prisoner.
 - "(10) TIME LIMITS INAPPLICABLE.—The time limits under subsections (b) and (c) shall not apply to prerelease custody under this subsection.
 - "(11) Preference Custody Capacity.—The Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall ensure there is sufficient prerelease custody capacity to accommodate all eligible prisoners.".
- (2) Effective date.—The amendments made by this subsection shall take effect beginning on the date that the Attorney General completes and releases

- the risk and needs assessment system under sub chapter D of chapter 229 of title 18, United States
 Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act.
- 4 (3) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by
 5 this subsection shall apply with respect to offenses
 6 committed before, on, or after the date of enactment
 7 of this Act, except that such amendments shall not
 8 apply with respect to offenses committed before No9 vember 1, 1987.

10 **SEC. 103. GAO REPORT.**

- Not later than 2 years after the Director of the Bureau
- 12 of Prisons implements the risk and needs assessment system
- 13 under section 3621 of title 18, United States Code, and
- 14 every 2 years thereafter, the Comptroller General of the
- 15 United States shall conduct an audit of the use of the risk
- 16 and needs assessment system at Bureau of Prisons facilities.
- 17 The audit shall include analysis of the following:
- 18 (1) Whether inmates are being assessed under the 19 risk and needs assessment system with the frequency
- 20 required under such section 3621 of title 18, United
- 21 States Code.
- 22 (2) Whether the Bureau of Prisons is able to offer
- 23 recidivism reduction programs and productive activi-
- 24 ties (as such terms are defined in section 3635 of title

- 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of
 this Act).
 - (3) Whether the Bureau of Prisons is offering the type, amount, and intensity of recidivism reduction programs and productive activities for prisoners to earn the maximum amount of time credits for which they are eligible.
 - (4) Whether the Attorney General is carrying out the duties under section 3631(b) of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act.
 - (5) Whether officers and employees of the Bureau of Prisons are receiving the training described in section 3632(f) of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act.
 - (6) Whether the Bureau of Prisons offers work assignments to all prisoners who might benefit from such an assignment.
 - (7) Whether the Bureau of Prisons transfers prisoners to prerelease custody or supervised release as soon as they are eligible for such a transfer under section 3624(g) of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 102(b) of this Act.
 - (8) The rates of recidivism among similarly classified prisoners to identify any unwarranted disparities, including disparities among similarly classified

1	prisoners of different demographic groups, in such
2	rates.
3	SEC. 104. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.
4	(a) In General.—There is authorized to be appro-
5	priated to carry out this title \$75,000,000 for each of fiscal
6	years 2019 through 2023. Of the amount appropriated
7	under this subsection, 80 percent shall be reserved for use
8	by the Director of the Bureau of Prisons to implement the
9	system under section 3621(h) of title 18, United States
10	Code, as added by section 102(a) of this Act.
11	(b) SAVINGS.—It is the sense of Congress that any sav-
12	ings associated with reductions in recidivism that result
13	from this title should be reinvested—
14	(1) to supplement funding for programs that in-
15	crease public safety by providing resources to State
16	and local law enforcement officials, including for the
17	adoption of innovative technologies and information
18	sharing capabilities;
19	(2) into evidence-based recidivism reduction pro-
20	grams offered by the Bureau of Prisons; and
21	(3) into ensuring eligible prisoners have access to
22	such programs and productive activities offered by the
23	Bureau of Prisons.

1 SEC. 105. RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.

- 2 Nothing in this Act, or the amendments made by this
- 3 Act, may be construed to provide authority to place a pris-
- 4 oner in prerelease custody or supervised release who is serv-
- 5 ing a term of imprisonment pursuant to a conviction for
- 6 an offense under the laws of one of the 50 States, or of a
- 7 territory or possession of the United States or to amend
- 8 or affect the enforcement of the immigration laws, as de-
- 9 fined in section 101 of the Immigration and Nationality
- 10 Act (8 U.S.C. 1101).

11 SEC. 106. FAITH-BASED CONSIDERATIONS.

- 12 (a) In General.—In considering any program, treat-
- 13 ment, regimen, group, company, charity, person, or entity
- 14 of any kind under any provision of this Act, or the amend-
- 15 ments made by this Act, the fact that it may be or is faith-
- 16 based may not be a basis for any discrimination against
- 17 it in any manner or for any purpose.
- 18 (b) Eligibility for Earned Time Credit.—Par-
- 19 ticipation in a faith-based program, treatment, or regimen
- 20 may qualify a prisoner for earned time credit under sub-
- 21 chapter D of chapter 229 of title 18, United States Code,
- 22 as added by section 101(a) of this Act, however, the Director
- 23 of the Bureau of Prisons shall ensure that non-faith-based
- 24 programs that qualify for earned time credit are offered at
- 25 each Bureau of Prisons facility in addition to any such
- $26 \ \textit{faith-based programs}.$

- 1 (c) Limitation on Activities.—A group, company,
- 2 charity, person, or entity may not engage in explicitly reli-
- 3 gious activities using direct financial assistance made
- 4 available under this title or the amendments made by this
- 5 title.
- 6 (d) Rule of Construction.—Nothing in this Act, or
- 7 the amendments made by this Act, may be construed to
- 8 amend any requirement under Federal law or the Constitu-
- 9 tion of the United States regarding funding for faith-based
- 10 programs or activities.
- 11 SEC. 107. INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE.
- 12 (a) In General.—The Attorney General shall consult
- 13 with an Independent Review Committee in carrying out the
- 14 Attorney General's duties under sections 3631(b), 3632 and
- 15 3633 of title 18, United States Code, as added by section
- 16 101(a) of this Act.
- 17 (b) Formation of Independent Review Com-
- 18 mittee.—The National Institute of Justice shall select a
- 19 nonpartisan and nonprofit organization with expertise in
- 20 the study and development of risk and needs assessment
- 21 tools to host the Independent Review Committee. The Inde-
- 22 pendent Review Committee shall be established not later
- 23 than 30 days after the date of enactment of this Act.
- 24 (c) Appointment of Independent Review Com-
- 25 MITTEE.—The organization selected by the National Insti-

1	tute of Justice shall appoint not fewer than 6 members to
2	the Independent Review Committee.
3	(d) Composition of the Independent Review
4	Committee.—The members of the Independent Review
5	Committee shall all have expertise in risk and needs assess-
6	ment systems and shall include—
7	(1) 2 individuals who have published peer-re-
8	viewed scholarship about risk and needs assessments
9	in both corrections and community settings;
10	(2) 2 corrections practitioners who have devel-
11	oped and implemented a risk assessment tool in a cor-
12	rections system or in a community supervision set-
13	ting, including 1 with prior experience working with-
14	in the Bureau of Prisons; and
15	(3) 1 individual with expertise in assessing risk
16	$assessment\ implementation.$
17	(e) Duties of the Independent Review Com-
18	MITTEE.—The Independent Review Committee shall assist
19	the Attorney General in carrying out the Attorney General's
20	duties under sections 3631(b), 3632 and 3633 of title 18,
21	United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act,
22	including by assisting in—
23	(1) conducting a review of the existing prisoner
24	risk and needs assessment systems in operation on the
25	date of enactment of this Act;

1	(2) developing recommendations regarding evi-
2	dence-based recidivism reduction programs and pro-
3	ductive activities;
4	(3) conducting research and data analysis on—
5	(A) evidence-based recidivism reduction pro-
6	grams relating to the use of prisoner risk and
7	needs assessment tools;
8	(B) the most effective and efficient uses of
9	such programs; and
10	(C) which evidence-based recidivism reduc-
11	tion programs are the most effective at reducing
12	recidivism, and the type, amount, and intensity
13	of programming that most effectively reduces the
14	risk of recidivism; and
15	(4) reviewing and validating the risk and needs
16	assessment system.
17	(f) Bureau of Prisons Cooperation.—The Director
18	of the Bureau of Prisons shall assist the Independent Re-
19	view Committee in performing the Committee's duties and
20	promptly respond to requests from the Committee for access
21	to Bureau of Prisons facilities, personnel, and information.
22	(g) Report.—Not later than 2 years after the date
23	of enactment of this Act, the Independent Review Committee
24	shall submit to the Committee on the Judiciary and the
25	Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related

- 1 Agencies of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate
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- 3 on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies of the
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- 6 (1) a list of all offenses of conviction for which 7 prisoners were ineligible to receive time credits under 8 section 3632(d)(4)(D) of title 18, United States Code, 9 as added by section 101(a) of this Act, and for each 10 offense the number of prisoners excluded, including 11 demographic percentages by age, race, and sex;
 - (2) the criminal history categories of prisoners ineligible to receive time credits under section 3632(d)(4)(D) of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act, and for each category the number of prisoners excluded, including demographic percentages by age, race, and sex;
 - (3) the number of prisoners ineligible to apply time credits under section 3632(d)(4)(D) of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act, who do not participate in recidivism reduction programming or productive activities, including the demographic percentages by age, race, and sex;
 - (4) any recommendations for modifications to section 3632(d)(4)(D) of title 18, United States Code,

1	as added by section 101(a) of this Act, and any other
2	recommendations regarding recidivism reduction.
3	(h) Termination.—The Independent Review Com-
4	mittee shall terminate on the date that is 2 years after the
5	date on which the risk and needs assessment system author-
6	ized by sections 3632 and 3633 of title 18, United States
7	Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act, is released.
8	TITLE II—BUREAU OF PRISONS
9	SECURE FIREARMS STORAGE
10	SEC. 201. SHORT TITLE.
11	This title may be cited as the "Lieutenant Osvaldo
12	Albarati Correctional Officer Self-Protection Act of 2018".
13	SEC. 202. SECURE FIREARMS STORAGE.
14	(a) In General.—Chapter 303 of title 18, United
15	States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following.
16	"§ 4050. Secure firearms storage
17	"(a) Definitions.—In this section—
18	"(1) the term 'employee' means a qualified law
19	enforcement officer employed by the Bureau of Pris-
20	ons; and
21	"(2) the terms 'firearm' and 'qualified law en-
22	forcement officer' have the meanings given those terms
23	under section 926B.

1	"(b) Secure Firearms Storage.—The Director of
2	the Bureau of Prisons shall ensure that each chief executive
3	officer of a Federal penal or correctional institution—
4	"(1)(A) provides a secure storage area located
5	outside of the secure perimeter of the institution for
6	employees to store firearms; or
7	"(B) allows employees to store firearms in a ve-
8	hicle lockbox approved by the Director of the Bureau
9	of Prisons; and
10	"(2) notwithstanding any other provision of law,
11	allows employees to carry concealed firearms on the
12	premises outside of the secure perimeter of the institu-
13	tion.".
14	(b) Technical and Conforming Amendment.—The
15	table of sections for chapter 303 of title 18, United States
16	Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:
	"4050. Secure firearms storage.".
17	TITLE III—RESTRAINTS ON
18	PREGNANT PRISONERS PRO-
19	HIBITED
20	SEC. 301. USE OF RESTRAINTS ON PRISONERS DURING THE
21	PERIOD OF PREGNANCY AND POSTPARTUM
22	RECOVERY PROHIBITED.
23	(a) In General.—Chapter 317 of title 18, United
24	States Code, is amended by inserting after section 4321 the
25	followina:

1	"§ 4322. Use of restraints on prisoners during the pe-
2	riod of pregnancy, labor, and postpartum
3	recovery prohibited
4	"(a) Prohibition.—Except as provided in subsection
5	(b), beginning on the date on which pregnancy is confirmed
6	by a healthcare professional, and ending at the conclusion
7	of postpartum recovery, a prisoner in the custody of the
8	Bureau of Prisons, or in the custody of the United States
9	Marshals Service pursuant to section 4086, shall not be
10	placed in restraints.
11	"(b) Exceptions.—
12	"(1) In general.—The prohibition under sub-
13	section (a) shall not apply if—
14	"(A) an appropriate corrections official, or
15	a United States marshal, as applicable, makes a
16	determination that the prisoner—
17	"(i) is an immediate and credible
18	flight risk that cannot reasonably be pre-
19	vented by other means; or
20	"(ii) poses an immediate and serious
21	threat of harm to herself or others that can-
22	not reasonably be prevented by other means;
23	or
24	"(B) a healthcare professional responsible
25	for the health and safety of the prisoner deter-

1	mines that the use of restraints is appropriate
2	for the medical safety of the prisoner.
3	"(2) Least restrictive restraints.—In the
4	case that restraints are used pursuant to an exception
5	under paragraph (1), only the least restrictive re-
6	straints necessary to prevent the harm or risk of es-
7	cape described in paragraph (1) may be used.
8	"(3) Application.—
9	"(A) In General.—The exceptions under
10	paragraph (1) may not be applied—
11	"(i) to place restraints around the an-
12	kles, legs, or waist of a prisoner;
13	"(ii) to restrain a prisoner's hands be-
14	hind her back;
15	"(iii) to restrain a prisoner using 4-
16	point restraints; or
17	"(iv) to attach a prisoner to another
18	prisoner.
19	"(B) Medical request.—Notwithstanding
20	paragraph (1), upon the request of a healthcare
21	professional who is responsible for the health and
22	safety of a prisoner, a corrections official or
23	United States marshal, as applicable, shall re-
24	frain from using restraints on the prisoner or
25	shall remove restraints used on the prisoner.

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- "(A) the reasoning upon which the determination to use restraints was made;
- "(B) the details of the use of restraints, including the type of restraints used and length of time during which restraints were used; and
- "(C) any resulting physical effects on the prisoner observed by or known to the corrections official or United States marshal, as applicable.
- "(2) Supplemental report to the director.—Upon receipt of a report under paragraph (1), the healthcare professional responsible for the health and safety of the prisoner may submit to the Director

1	such information as the healthcare professional deter-
2	mines is relevant to the use of restraints on the pris-
3	oner.
4	"(3) Report to Judiciary committees.—
5	"(A) In general.—Not later than 1 year
6	after the date of enactment of this section, and
7	annually thereafter, the Director of the Bureau of
8	Prisons and the Director of the United States
9	Marshals Service shall each submit to the Judici-
10	ary Committee of the Senate and of the House
11	of Representatives a report that certifies compli-
12	ance with this section and includes the informa-
13	tion required to be reported under paragraph
14	(1).
15	"(B) Personally identifiable informa-
16	TION.—The report under this paragraph shall
17	not contain any personally identifiable informa-
18	tion of any prisoner.
19	"(d) Notice.—Not later than 48 hours after the con-
20	firmation of a prisoner's pregnancy by a healthcare profes-
21	sional, that prisoner shall be notified by an appropriate
22	healthcare professional, corrections official, or United
23	States marshal, as applicable, of the restrictions on the use
24	of restraints under this section.

1	"(e) Violation Reporting Process.—The Director
2	of the Bureau of Prisons, in consultation with the Director
3	of the United States Marshals Service, shall establish a
4	process through which a prisoner may report a violation
5	of this section.
6	"(f) Training.—
7	"(1) In general.—The Director of the Bureau
8	of Prisons and the Director of the United States Mar-
9	shals Service shall each develop training guidelines
0	regarding the use of restraints on female prisoners
11	during the period of pregnancy, labor, and
12	postpartum recovery, and shall incorporate such
13	guidelines into appropriate training programs. Such
14	training guidelines shall include—
15	"(A) how to identify certain symptoms of
16	pregnancy that require immediate referral to a
17	$health care\ professional;$
8	"(B) circumstances under which the excep-
19	tions under subsection (b) would apply;
20	"(C) in the case that an exception under
21	subsection (b) applies, how to apply restraints in
22	a way that does not harm the prisoner, the fetus,
23	or the neonate;
24	"(D) the information required to be re-
25	ported under subsection (c); and

- 1 "(E) the right of a healthcare professional
 2 to request that restraints not be used, and the re3 quirement under subsection (b)(3)(B) to comply
 4 with such a request.
 5 "(2) DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDELINES.—In devel-
 - "(2) DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDELINES.—In developing the guidelines required by paragraph (1), the Directors shall each consult with healthcare professionals with expertise in caring for women during the period of pregnancy and postpartum recovery.
 - "(g) Definitions.—For purposes of this section:
 - "(1) Postpartum recovery' means the 12-week period, or longer as determined by the healthcare professional responsible for the health and safety of the prisoner, following delivery, and shall include the entire period that the prisoner is in the hospital or infirmary.
 - "(2) PRISONER.—The term 'prisoner' means a person who has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment pursuant to a conviction for a Federal criminal offense, or a person in the custody of the Bureau of Prisons, including a person in a Bureau of Prisons contracted facility.
 - "(3) Restraints.—The term 'restraints' means any physical or mechanical device used to control the movement of a prisoner's body, limbs, or both.".

1	(b) Clerical Amendment.—The table of sections for
2	chapter 317 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by
3	adding after the item relating to section 4321 the following:
	"4322. Use of restraints on prisoners during the period of pregnancy, labor, and postpartum recovery prohibited.".
4	TITLE IV—SENTENCING REFORM
5	SEC. 401. REDUCE AND RESTRICT ENHANCED SENTENCING
6	FOR PRIOR DRUG FELONIES.
7	(a) Controlled Substances Act Amendments.—
8	The Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 801 et seq.) is
9	amended—
10	(1) in section 102 (21 U.S.C. 802), by adding at
11	the end the following:
12	"(57) The term 'serious drug felony' means an
13	offense described in section 924(e)(2) of title 18,
14	United States Code, for which—
15	"(A) the offender served a term of imprison-
16	ment of more than 12 months; and
17	"(B) the offender's release from any term of
18	imprisonment was within 15 years of the com-
19	mencement of the instant offense.
20	"(58) The term 'serious violent felony' means—
21	"(A) an offense described in section
22	3559(c)(2) of title 18, United States Code, for
23	which the offender served a term of imprison-
24	ment of more than 12 months: and

1	"(B) any offense that would be a felony vio-
2	lation of section 113 of title 18, United States
3	Code, if the offense were committed in the special
4	maritime and territorial jurisdiction of the
5	United States, for which the offender served a
6	term of imprisonment of more than 12 months.";
7	and
8	(2) in section 401(b)(1) (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1))—
9	(A) in subparagraph (A), in the matter fol-
10	lowing clause (viii)—
11	(i) by striking "If any person commits
12	such a violation after a prior conviction for
13	a felony drug offense has become final, such
14	person shall be sentenced to a term of im-
15	prisonment which may not be less than 20
16	years" and inserting the following: "If any
17	person commits such a violation after a
18	prior conviction for a serious drug felony or
19	serious violent felony has become final, such
20	person shall be sentenced to a term of im-
21	prisonment of not less than 15 years"; and
22	(ii) by striking "after two or more
23	prior convictions for a felony drug offense
24	have become final, such person shall be sen-
25	tenced to a mandatory term of life impris-

1	onment without release" and inserting the
2	following: "after 2 or more prior convictions
3	for a serious drug felony or serious violent
4	felony have become final, such person shall
5	be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of
6	not less than 25 years"; and
7	(B) in subparagraph (B), in the matter fol-
8	lowing clause (viii), by striking "If any person
9	commits such a violation after a prior conviction
10	for a felony drug offense has become final" and
11	inserting the following: "If any person commits
12	such a violation after a prior conviction for a se-
13	rious drug felony or serious violent felony has be-
14	$come\ final$ ".
15	(b) Controlled Substances Import and Export
16	ACT AMENDMENTS.—Section 1010(b) of the Controlled Sub-
17	stances Import and Export Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)) is
18	amended—
19	(1) in paragraph (1), in the matter following
20	subparagraph (H), by striking "If any person com-
21	mits such a violation after a prior conviction for a
22	felony drug offense has become final, such person shall
23	be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of not less
24	than 20 years" and inserting "If any person commits

such a violation after a prior conviction for a serious

1	drug felony or serious violent felony has become final,
2	such person shall be sentenced to a term of imprison-
3	ment of not less than 15 years"; and
4	(2) in paragraph (2), in the matter following
5	subparagraph (H), by striking "felony drug offense"
6	and inserting "serious drug felony or serious violent
7	felony".
8	(c) Applicability to Pending Cases.—This section,
9	and the amendments made by this section, shall apply to
0	any offense that was committed before the date of enactment
1	of this Act, if a sentence for the offense has not been imposed
12	as of such date of enactment.
13	SEC. 402. BROADENING OF EXISTING SAFETY VALVE.
14	(a) Amendments.—Section 3553 of title 18, United
15	States Code, is amended—
16	(1) in subsection (f)—
17	(A) in the matter preceding paragraph
18	(1)—
19	(i) by striking "or section 1010" and
20	inserting ", section 1010"; and
21	(ii) by inserting ", or section 70503 or
22	70506 of title 46" after "963)";
23	(B) by striking paragraph (1) and inserting
24	$the\ following:$
25	"(1) the defendant does not have—

1	"(A) more than 4 criminal history points,
2	excluding any criminal history points resulting
3	from a 1-point offense, as determined under the
4	sentencing guidelines;
5	"(B) a prior 3-point offense, as determined
6	under the sentencing guidelines; and
7	"(C) a prior 2-point violent offense, as de-
8	termined under the sentencing guidelines;"; and
9	(C) by adding at the end the following:
10	"Information disclosed by a defendant under this subsection
11	may not be used to enhance the sentence of the defendant
12	unless the information relates to a violent offense."; and
13	(2) by adding at the end the following:
14	"(g) Definition of Violent Offense.—As used in
15	this section, the term 'violent offense' means a crime of vio-
16	lence, as defined in section 16, that is punishable by impris-
17	onment.".
18	(b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by this
19	section shall apply only to a conviction entered on or after
20	the date of enactment of this Act.
21	SEC. 403. CLARIFICATION OF SECTION 924(c) OF TITLE 18,
22	UNITED STATES CODE.
23	(a) In General.—Section 924(c)(1)(C) of title 18,
24	United States Code, is amended, in the matter preceding
25	clause (i). by striking "second or subsequent conviction

- 1 under this subsection" and inserting "violation of this sub-
- 2 section that occurs after a prior conviction under this sub-
- 3 section has become final".
- 4 (b) Applicability to Pending Cases.—This section,
- 5 and the amendments made by this section, shall apply to
- 6 any offense that was committed before the date of enactment
- 7 of this Act, if a sentence for the offense has not been imposed
- 8 as of such date of enactment.

9 SEC. 404. APPLICATION OF FAIR SENTENCING ACT.

- 10 (a) Definition of Covered Offense.—In this sec-
- 11 tion, the term "covered offense" means a violation of a Fed-
- 12 eral criminal statute, the statutory penalties for which were
- 13 modified by section 2 or 3 of the Fair Sentencing Act of
- 14 2010 (Public Law 111-220; 124 Stat. 2372), that was com-
- 15 mitted before August 3, 2010.
- 16 (b) Defendants Previously Sentenced.—A court
- 17 that imposed a sentence for a covered offense may, on mo-
- 18 tion of the defendant, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons,
- 19 the attorney for the Government, or the court, impose a re-
- 20 duced sentence as if sections 2 and 3 of the Fair Sentencing
- 21 Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–220; 124 Stat. 2372) were
- 22 in effect at the time the covered offense was committed.
- 23 (c) Limitations.—No court shall entertain a motion
- 24 made under this section to reduce a sentence if the sentence
- 25 was previously imposed or previously reduced in accord-

- 1 ance with the amendments made by sections 2 and 3 of the
- 2 Fair Sentencing Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–220; 124
- 3 Stat. 2372) or if a previous motion made under this section
- 4 to reduce the sentence was, after the date of enactment of
- 5 this Act, denied after a complete review of the motion on
- 6 the merits. Nothing in this section shall be construed to re-
- 7 quire a court to reduce any sentence pursuant to this sec-
- 8 tion.

9 TITLE V—SECOND CHANCE ACT

10 OF 2007 REAUTHORIZATION

- 11 SEC. 501. SHORT TITLE.
- 12 This title may be cited as the "Second Chance Reau-
- 13 thorization Act of 2018".
- 14 SEC. 502. IMPROVEMENTS TO EXISTING PROGRAMS.
- 15 (a) Reauthorization of Adult and Juvenile Of-
- 16 Fender State and Local Demonstration Projects.—
- 17 Section 2976 of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and
- 18 Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10631) is amended—
- 19 (1) by striking subsection (a) and inserting the
- 20 following:
- 21 "(a) Grant Authorization.—The Attorney General
- 22 shall make grants to States, local governments, territories,
- 23 or Indian tribes, or any combination thereof (in this section
- 24 referred to as an 'eligible entity'), in partnership with in-
- 25 terested persons (including Federal corrections and super-

1	vision agencies), service providers, and nonprofit organiza-
2	tions for the purpose of strategic planning and implementa-
3	tion of adult and juvenile offender reentry projects.";
4	(2) in subsection (b)—
5	(A) in paragraph (3), by inserting "or re-
6	entry courts," after "community,";
7	(B) in paragraph (6), by striking "and" at
8	$the\ end;$
9	(C) in paragraph (7), by striking the period
10	at the end and inserting "; and"; and
11	(D) by adding at the end the following:
12	"(8) promoting employment opportunities con-
13	sistent with the Transitional Jobs strategy (as defined
14	in section 4 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (34
15	U.S.C. 60502))."; and
16	(3) by striking subsections (d), (e), and (f) and
17	inserting the following:
18	"(d) Combined Grant Application; Priority Con-
19	SIDERATION.—
20	"(1) In General.—The Attorney General shall
21	develop a procedure to allow applicants to submit a
22	single application for a planning grant under sub-
23	section (e) and an implementation grant under sub-
24	section (f).

1	"(2) Priority consideration.—The Attorney
2	General shall give priority consideration to grant ap-
3	plications under subsections (e) and (f) that include
4	a commitment by the applicant to partner with a
5	local evaluator to identify and analyze data that
6	will—
7	"(A) enable the grantee to target the in-
8	tended offender population; and
9	"(B) serve as a baseline for purposes of the
10	evaluation.
11	"(e) Planning Grants.—
12	"(1) In general.—Except as provided in para-
13	graph (3), the Attorney General may make a grant to
14	an eligible entity of not more than \$75,000 to develop
15	a strategic, collaborative plan for an adult or juvenile
16	offender reentry demonstration project as described in
17	subsection (h) that includes—
18	"(A) a budget and a budget justification;
19	"(B) a description of the outcome measures
20	that will be used to measure the effectiveness of
21	the program in promoting public safety and
22	public health;
23	"(C) the activities proposed;
24	"(D) a schedule for completion of the activi-
25	ties described in subparagraph (C): and

1	"(E) a description of the personnel nec-
2	essary to complete the activities described in sub-
3	paragraph (C).
4	"(2) Maximum total grants and geographic
5	DIVERSITY.—
6	"(A) Maximum amount.—The Attorney
7	General may not make initial planning grants
8	and implementation grants to 1 eligible entity in
9	a total amount that is more than a \$1,000,000.
10	"(B) Geographic diversity.—The Attor-
11	ney General shall make every effort to ensure eq-
12	uitable geographic distribution of grants under
13	this section and take into consideration the needs
14	of underserved populations, including rural and
15	$tribal\ communities.$
16	"(3) Period of Grant.—A planning grant
17	made under this subsection shall be for a period of
18	not longer than 1 year, beginning on the first day of
19	the month in which the planning grant is made.
20	"(f) Implementation Grants.—
21	"(1) Applications.—An eligible entity desiring
22	an implementation grant under this subsection shall
23	submit to the Attorney General an application that—
24	"(A) contains a reentry strategic plan as
25	described in subsection (h), which describes the

1	long-term strategy and incorporates a detailed
2	implementation schedule, including the plans of
3	the applicant to fund the program after Federal
4	funding is discontinued;
5	"(B) identifies the local government role
6	and the role of governmental agencies and non-
7	profit organizations that will be coordinated by,
8	and that will collaborate on, the offender reentry
9	strategy of the applicant, and certifies the in-
10	volvement of such agencies and organizations;
11	"(C) describes the evidence-based method-
12	ology and outcome measures that will be used to
13	evaluate the program funded with a grant under
14	this subsection, and specifically explains how
15	such measurements will provide valid measures
16	of the impact of that program; and
17	"(D) describes how the project could be
18	broadly replicated if demonstrated to be effective.
19	"(2) Requirements.—The Attorney General
20	may make a grant to an applicant under this sub-
21	section only if the application—
22	"(A) reflects explicit support of the chief ex-
23	ecutive officer, or their designee, of the State,
24	unit of local government, territory, or Indian
25	tribe applying for a grant under this subsection;

1	"(B) provides discussion of the role of Fed-
2	eral corrections, State corrections departments,
3	community corrections agencies, juvenile justice
4	systems, and tribal or local jail systems in en-
5	suring successful reentry of offenders into their
6	communities;
7	"(C) provides evidence of collaboration with
8	State, local, or tribal government agencies over-
9	seeing health, housing, child welfare, education,
10	substance abuse, victims services, and employ-
11	ment services, and with local law enforcement
12	agencies;
13	"(D) provides a plan for analysis of the
14	statutory, regulatory, rules-based, and practice-
15	based hurdles to reintegration of offenders into
16	$the\ community;$
17	"(E) includes the use of a State, local, terri-
18	torial, or tribal task force, described in sub-
19	section (i), to carry out the activities funded
20	under the grant;
21	"(F) provides a plan for continued collabo-
22	ration with a local evaluator as necessary to
23	meeting the requirements under subsection (h);
24	and

1	"(G) demonstrates that the applicant par-
2	ticipated in the planning grant process or en-
3	gaged in comparable planning for the reentry
4	project.
5	"(3) Priority considerations.—The Attorney
6	General shall give priority to grant applications
7	under this subsection that best—
8	"(A) focus initiative on geographic areas
9	with a disproportionate population of offenders
10	released from prisons, jails, and juvenile facili-
11	ties;
12	"(B) include—
13	"(i) input from nonprofit organiza-
14	tions, in any case where relevant input is
15	available and appropriate to the grant ap-
16	plication;
17	"(ii) consultation with crime victims
18	and offenders who are released from prisons,
19	jails, and juvenile facilities;
20	"(iii) coordination with families of of-
21	fenders;
22	"(iv) input, where appropriate, from
23	the juvenile justice coordinating council of
24	$the \ region;$

1	"(v) input, where appropriate, from
2	the reentry coordinating council of the re-
3	gion; or
4	"(vi) input, where appropriate, from
5	other interested persons;
6	"(C) demonstrate effective case assessment
7	and management abilities in order to provide
8	comprehensive and continuous reentry, includ-
9	ing—
10	"(i) planning for prerelease transi-
11	tional housing and community release that
12	begins upon admission for juveniles and jail
13	inmates, and, as appropriate, for prison in-
14	mates, depending on the length of the sen-
15	tence;
16	"(ii) establishing prerelease planning
17	procedures to ensure that the eligibility of
18	an offender for Federal, tribal, or State ben-
19	efits upon release is established prior to re-
20	lease, subject to any limitations in law, and
21	to ensure that offenders obtain all necessary
22	referrals for reentry services, including as-
23	sistance identifying and securing suitable
24	housing; or

1	"(iii) delivery of continuous and ap-
2	propriate mental health services, drug treat-
3	ment, medical care, job training and place-
4	ment, educational services, vocational serv-
5	ices, and any other service or support need-
6	ed for reentry;
7	"(D) review the process by which the appli-
8	cant adjudicates violations of parole, probation,
9	or supervision following release from prison, jail,
10	or a juvenile facility, taking into account public
11	safety and the use of graduated, community-
12	based sanctions for minor and technical viola-
13	tions of parole, probation, or supervision (spe-
14	cifically those violations that are not otherwise,
15	and independently, a violation of law);
16	"(E) provide for an independent evaluation
17	of reentry programs that include, to the max-
18	imum extent possible, random assignment and
19	controlled studies to determine the effectiveness of
20	such programs;
21	"(F) target moderate and high-risk offenders
22	for reentry programs through validated assess-
23	ment tools; or
24	"(G) target offenders with histories of home-
25	lessness, substance abuse, or mental illness, in-

1	cluding a prerelease assessment of the housing
2	status of the offender and behavioral health needs
3	of the offender with clear coordination with men-
4	tal health, substance abuse, and homelessness
5	services systems to achieve stable and permanent
6	housing outcomes with appropriate support serv-
7	ice.
8	"(4) Period of Grant.—A grant made under
9	this subsection shall be effective for a 2-year period—
10	"(A) beginning on the date on which the
11	planning grant awarded under subsection (e)
12	concludes; or
13	"(B) in the case of an implementation
14	grant awarded to an eligible entity that did not
15	receive a planning grant, beginning on the date
16	on which the implementation grant is award-
17	ed.";
18	(4) in subsection (h)—
19	(A) by redesignating paragraphs (2) and
20	(3) as paragraphs (3) and (4), respectively; and
21	(B) by striking paragraph (1) and inserting
22	the following:
23	"(1) In general.—As a condition of receiving
24	financial assistance under subsection (f), each appli-

1	cation shall develop a comprehensive reentry strategic
2	plan that—
3	"(A) contains a plan to assess inmate re-
4	entry needs and measurable annual and 3-year
5	performance outcomes;
6	"(B) uses, to the maximum extent possible,
7	randomly assigned and controlled studies, or rig-
8	orous quasi-experimental studies with matched
9	comparison groups, to determine the effectiveness
10	of the program funded with a grant under sub-
11	section (f); and
12	"(C) includes as a goal of the plan to reduce
13	the rate of recidivism for offenders released from
14	prison, jail or a juvenile facility with funds
15	made available under subsection (f).
16	"(2) Local evaluator.—A partnership with a
17	local evaluator described in subsection (d)(2) shall re-
18	quire the local evaluator to use the baseline data and
19	target population characteristics developed under a
20	subsection (e) planning grant to derive a target goal
21	for recidivism reduction during the 3-year period be-
22	ginning on the date of implementation of the pro-
23	gram.";
24	(5) in subsection (i)(1)—

1	(A) in the matter preceding subparagraph
2	(A), by striking "under this section" and insert-
3	ing "under subsection (f)"; and
4	(B) in subparagraph (B), by striking "sub-
5	section (e)(4)" and inserting "subsection
6	(f)(2)(D)";
7	(6) in subsection (j)—
8	(A) in paragraph (1), by inserting "for an
9	implementation grant under subsection (f)" after
10	"applicant";
11	(B) in paragraph (2)—
12	(i) in subparagraph (E), by inserting
13	", where appropriate" after "support"; and
14	(ii) by striking subparagraphs (F),
15	(G), and (H), and inserting the following:
16	"(F) increased number of staff trained to
17	administer reentry services;
18	"(G) increased proportion of individuals
19	served by the program among those eligible to re-
20	ceive services;
21	"(H) increased number of individuals re-
22	ceiving risk screening needs assessment, and case
23	planning services;
24	"(I) increased enrollment in, and comple-
25	tion of treatment services, including substance

1	abuse and mental health services among those as-
2	sessed as needing such services;
3	``(J) increased enrollment in and degrees
4	earned from educational programs, including
5	high school, GED, vocational training, and col-
6	lege education;
7	"(K) increased number of individuals ob-
8	taining and retaining employment;
9	"(L) increased number of individuals ob-
10	taining and maintaining housing;
11	``(M) increased self-reports of successful
12	community living, including stability of living
13	situation and positive family relationships;
14	"(N) reduction in drug and alcohol use; and
15	"(O) reduction in recidivism rates for indi-
16	viduals receiving reentry services after release, as
17	compared to either baseline recidivism rates in
18	the jurisdiction of the grantee or recidivism rates
19	of the control or comparison group.";
20	(C) in paragraph (3), by striking "facili-
21	ties." and inserting "facilities, including a cost-
22	benefit analysis to determine the cost effectiveness
23	of the reentry program.";
24	(D) in paragraph (4), by striking "this sec-
25	tion" and inserting "subsection (f)"; and

1	(E) in paragraph (5), by striking "this sec-
2	tion" and inserting "subsection (f)";
3	(7) in subsection $(k)(1)$, by striking "this sec-
4	tion" each place the term appears and inserting "sub-
5	section (f)";
6	(8) in subsection (l)—
7	(A) in paragraph (2), by inserting "begin-
8	ning on the date on which the most recent imple-
9	mentation grant is made to the grantee under
10	subsection (f)" after "2-year period"; and
11	(B) in paragraph (4), by striking "over a
12	2-year period" and inserting "during the 2-year
13	period described in paragraph (2)";
14	(9) in subsection $(0)(1)$, by striking "appro-
15	priated" and all that follows and inserting the fol-
16	lowing: "appropriated \$35,000,000 for each of fiscal
17	years 2019 through 2023."; and
18	(10) by adding at the end the following:
19	"(p) Definition.—In this section, the term 'reentry
20	court' means a program that—
21	"(1) monitors juvenile and adult eligible offend-
22	ers reentering the community;
23	"(2) provides continual judicial supervision;

1	"(3) provides juvenile and adult eligible offenders
2	reentering the community with coordinated and com-
3	prehensive reentry services and programs, such as—
4	"(A) drug and alcohol testing and assess-
5	ment for treatment;
6	"(B) assessment for substance abuse from a
7	substance abuse professional who is approved by
8	the State or Indian tribe and licensed by the ap-
9	propriate entity to provide alcohol and drug ad-
10	diction treatment, as appropriate;
11	"(C) substance abuse treatment, including
12	medication-assisted treatment, from a provider
13	that is approved by the State or Indian tribe,
14	and licensed, if necessary, to provide medical
15	and other health services;
16	"(D) health (including mental health) serv-
17	ices and assessment;
18	"(E) aftercare and case management serv-
19	ices that—
20	"(i) facilitate access to clinical care
21	and related health services; and
22	"(ii) coordinate with such clinical care
23	and related health services; and
24	"(F) any other services needed for reentry;

1	"(4) convenes community impact panels, victim
2	impact panels, or victim impact educational classes;
3	"(5) provides and coordinates the delivery of
4	community services to juvenile and adult eligible of-
5	fenders, including—
6	"(A) housing assistance;
7	"(B) education;
8	$"(C)\ job\ training;$
9	"(D) conflict resolution skills training;
10	"(E) batterer intervention programs; and
11	"(F) other appropriate social services; and
12	"(6) establishes and implements graduated sanc-
13	tions and incentives.".
14	(b) Grants for Family-Based Substance Abuse
15	Treatment.—Part DD of title I of the Omnibus Crime
16	Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10591 et
17	seq.) is amended—
18	(1) in section 2921 (34 U.S.C. 10591), in the
19	matter preceding paragraph (1), by inserting "non-
20	profit organizations," before "and Indian";
21	(2) in section 2923 (34 U.S.C. 10593), by adding
22	at the end the following:
23	"(c) Priority Considerations.—The Attorney Gen-
24	eral shall give priority consideration to grant applications
25	for grants under section 2921 that are submitted by a non-

1	profit organization that demonstrates a relationship with
2	State and local criminal justice agencies, including—
3	"(1) within the judiciary and prosecutorial
4	agencies; or
5	"(2) with the local corrections agencies, which
6	shall be documented by a written agreement that de-
7	tails the terms of access to facilities and participants
8	and provides information on the history of the orga-
9	nization of working with correctional populations.";
10	and
11	(3) by striking section 2926(a) and inserting the
12	following:
13	"(a) In General.—There are authorized to be appro-
14	priated to carry out this part \$10,000,000 for each of fiscal
15	years 2019 through 2023.".
16	(c) Grant Program To Evaluate and Improve
17	Educational Methods at Prisons, Jails, and Juve-
18	NILE FACILITIES.—Title I of the Omnibus Crime Control
19	and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3711 et seq.) is
20	amended—
21	(1) by striking the second part designated as
22	part JJ, as added by the Second Chance Act of 2007
23	(Public Law 110–199; 122 Stat. 677), relating to
24	grants to evaluate and improve educational methods
25	at prisons, jails, and juvenile facilities;

1	(2) by adding at the end the following:
2	"PART NN—GRANT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE AND
3	IMPROVE EDUCATIONAL METHODS AT PRIS-
4	ONS, JAILS, AND JUVENILE FACILITIES
5	"SEC. 3041. GRANT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE AND IMPROVE
6	EDUCATIONAL METHODS AT PRISONS, JAILS,
7	AND JUVENILE FACILITIES.
8	"(a) Grant Program Authorized.—The Attorney
9	General may carry out a grant program under which the
10	Attorney General may make grants to States, units of local
11	government, territories, Indian Tribes, and other public
12	and private entities to—
13	"(1) evaluate methods to improve academic and
14	vocational education for offenders in prisons, jails,
15	and juvenile facilities;
16	"(2) identify, and make recommendations to the
17	Attorney General regarding, best practices relating to
18	academic and vocational education for offenders in
19	prisons, jails, and juvenile facilities, based on the
20	evaluation under paragraph (1);
21	"(3) improve the academic and vocational edu-
22	cation programs (including technology career train-
23	ing) available to offenders in prisons, jails, and juve-
24	nile facilities; and

- 1 "(4) implement methods to improve academic
- 2 and vocational education for offenders in prisons,
- 3 jails, and juvenile facilities consistent with the best
- 4 practices identified in subsection (c).
- 5 "(b) APPLICATION.—To be eligible for a grant under
- 6 this part, a State or other entity described in subsection
- 7 (a) shall submit to the Attorney General an application in
- 8 such form and manner, at such time, and accompanied by
- 9 such information as the Attorney General specifies.
- 10 "(c) Best Practices.—Not later than 180 days after
- 11 the date of enactment of the Second Chance Reauthorization
- 12 Act of 2018, the Attorney General shall identify and publish
- 13 best practices relating to academic and vocational edu-
- 14 cation for offenders in prisons, jails, and juvenile facilities.
- 15 The best practices shall consider the evaluations performed
- 16 and recommendations made under grants made under sub-
- 17 section (a) before the date of enactment of the Second
- 18 Chance Reauthorization Act of 2018.
- "(d) Report.—Not later than 90 days after the last
- 20 day of the final fiscal year of a grant under this part, each
- 21 entity described in subsection (a) receiving such a grant
- 22 shall submit to the Attorney General a detailed report of
- 23 the progress made by the entity using such grant, to permit
- 24 the Attorney General to evaluate and improve academic

1	and vocational education methods carried out with grants
2	under this part."; and
3	(3) in section 1001(a) of part J of title I of the
4	Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968
5	(34 U.S.C. 10261(a)), by adding at the end the fol-
6	lowing:
7	"(28) There are authorized to be appropriated to
8	carry out section 3031(a)(4) of part NN \$5,000,000
9	for each of fiscal years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, and
10	2023.".
11	(d) Careers Training Demonstration Grants.—
12	Section 115 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C.
13	60511) is amended—
14	(1) in the heading, by striking "TECHNOLOGY
15	CAREERS" and inserting "CAREERS";
16	(2) in subsection (a)—
17	(A) by striking "and Indian" and inserting
18	"nonprofit organizations, and Indian"; and
19	(B) by striking "technology career training
20	to prisoners" and inserting "career training, in-
21	cluding subsidized employment, when part of a
22	training program, to prisoners and reentering
23	youth and adults";
24	(3) in subsection (b)—

1	(A) by striking "technology careers train-
2	ing";
3	(B) by striking "technology-based"; and
4	(C) by inserting ", as well as upon transi-
5	tion and reentry into the community" after "fa-
6	cility";
7	(4) by striking subsection (e);
8	(5) by redesignating subsections (c) and (d) as
9	subsections (d) and (e), respectively;
10	(6) by inserting after subsection (b) the fol-
11	lowing:
12	"(c) Priority Consideration.—Priority consider-
13	ation shall be given to any application under this section
14	that—
15	"(1) provides assessment of local demand for em-
16	ployees in the geographic areas to which offenders are
17	likely to return;
18	"(2) conducts individualized reentry career plan-
19	ning upon the start of incarceration or post-release
20	employment planning for each offender served under
21	the grant;
22	"(3) demonstrates connections to employers with-
23	in the local community; or
24	"(4) tracks and monitors employment out-
25	comes."; and

1	(7) by adding at the end the following:
2	"(f) Authorization of Appropriations.—There are
3	authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section
4	\$10,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022,
5	and 2023.".
6	(e) Offender Reentry Substance Abuse and
7	CRIMINAL JUSTICE COLLABORATION PROGRAM.—Section
8	201(f)(1) of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C.
9	60521(f)(1)) is amended to read as follows:
10	"(1) In general.—There are authorized to be
11	appropriated to carry out this section \$15,000,000 for
12	each of fiscal years 2019 through 2023.".
13	(f) Community-Based Mentoring and Transi-
14	TIONAL SERVICE GRANTS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZA-
15	TIONS.—
16	(1) In General.—Section 211 of the Second
17	Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60531) is amended—
18	(A) in the header, by striking " MEN-
19	TORING GRANTS TO NONPROFIT ORGANI-
20	ZATIONS " and inserting " COMMUNITY-
21	BASED MENTORING AND TRANSITIONAL
22	SERVICE GRANTS TO NONPROFIT ORGANI-
23	ZATIONS";
24	(B) in subsection (a), by striking "men-
25	toring and other";

1	(C) in subsection (b), by striking paragraph
2	(2) and inserting the following:
3	"(2) transitional services to assist in the re-
4	integration of offenders into the community, includ-
5	ing—
6	"(A) educational, literacy, and vocational,
7	services and the Transitional Jobs strategy;
8	"(B) substance abuse treatment and serv-
9	ices;
10	"(C) coordinated supervision and services
11	for offenders, including physical health care and
12	comprehensive housing and mental health care;
13	"(D) family services; and
14	"(E) validated assessment tools to assess the
15	risk factors of returning inmates; and"; and
16	(D) in subsection (f), by striking "this sec-
17	tion" and all that follows and inserting the fol-
18	lowing: "this section \$15,000,000 for each of fis-
19	cal years 2019 through 2023.".
20	(2) Table of contents amendment.—The
21	table of contents in section 2 of the Second Chance
22	Act of 2007 (Public Law 110–199; 122 Stat. 657) is
23	amended by striking the item relating to section 211
24	and inserting the following:
	"Sec. 211. Community-based mentoring and transitional service grants.".

1	(1) In General.—Section 4 of the Second
2	Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60502) is amended to
3	read as follows:
4	"SEC. 4. DEFINITIONS.
5	"In this Act—
6	"(1) the term 'exoneree' means an individual
7	who—
8	"(A) has been convicted of a Federal, tribal,
9	or State offense that is punishable by a term of
10	imprisonment of more than 1 year;
11	"(B) has served a term of imprisonment for
12	not less than 6 months in a Federal, tribal, or
13	State prison or correctional facility as a result
14	of the conviction described in subparagraph (A);
15	and
16	"(C) has been determined to be factually in-
17	nocent of the offense described in subparagraph
18	(A);
19	"(2) the term 'Indian tribe' has the meaning
20	given in section 901 of title I of the Omnibus Crime
21	Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C.
22	10251);
23	"(3) the term 'offender' includes an exoneree; and
24	"(4) the term 'Transitional Jobs strategy' means
25	an employment strategy for youth and adults who are

1	chronically unemployed or those that have barriers to
2	employment that—
3	"(A) is conducted by State, tribal, and local
4	governments, State, tribal, and local workforce
5	boards, and nonprofit organizations;
6	"(B) provides time-limited employment
7	using individual placements, team placements,
8	and social enterprise placements, without dis-
9	placing existing employees;
10	"(C) pays wages in accordance with appli-
11	cable law, but in no event less than the higher
12	of the rate specified in section 6(a)(1) of the Fair
13	Labor Standards Act of 1938 (29 U.S.C.
14	206(a)(1)) or the applicable State or local min-
15	imum wage law, which are subsidized, in whole
16	or in part, by public funds;
17	"(D) combines time-limited employment
18	with activities that promote skill development,
19	remove barriers to employment, and lead to un-
20	subsidized employment such as a thorough ori-
21	entation and individual assessment, job readi-
22	ness and life skills training, case management
23	and supportive services, adult education and
24	training, child support-related services, job reten-

1	tion support and incentives, and other similar
2	activities;
3	"(E) places participants into unsubsidized
4	employment; and
5	"(F) provides job retention, re-employment
6	services, and continuing and vocational edu-
7	cation to ensure continuing participation in un-
8	subsidized employment and identification of op-
9	portunities for advancement.".
10	(2) Table of contents amendment.—The
11	table of contents in section 2 of the Second Chance
12	Act of 2007 (Public Law 110–199; 122 Stat. 657) is
13	amended by striking the item relating to section 4
14	and inserting the following:
	"Sec. 4. Definitions.".
15	(h) Extension of the Length of Section 2976
16	GRANTS.—Section 6(1) of the Second Chance Act of 2007
17	(34 U.S.C. 60504(1)) is amended by inserting "or under
18	section 2976 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets
19	Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10631)" after "and 212".
20	SEC. 503. AUDIT AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF GRANTEES.
21	(a) Definitions.—In this section—
22	(1) the term "covered grant program" means
23	grants awarded under section 115, 201, or 211 of the
24	Second Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60511, 60521,
25	and 60531) as amended by this title:

- (2) the term "covered grantee" means a recipient
 of a grant from a covered grant program;
- 3 (3) the term "nonprofit", when used with respect 4 to an organization, means an organization that is de-5 scribed in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue 6 Code of 1986, and is exempt from taxation under sec-7 tion 501(a) of such Code; and
- (4) the term "unresolved audit finding" means 8 9 an audit report finding in a final audit report of the Inspector General of the Department of Justice that 10 11 a covered grantee has used grant funds awarded to that grantee under a covered grant program for an 12 13 unauthorized expenditure or otherwise unallowable 14 cost that is not closed or resolved during a 12-month 15 period prior to the date on which the final audit re-16 port is issued.
- 17 (b) AUDIT REQUIREMENT.—Beginning in fiscal year
 18 2019, and annually thereafter, the Inspector General of the
 19 Department of Justice shall conduct audits of covered
 20 grantees to prevent waste, fraud, and abuse of funds award21 ed under covered grant programs. The Inspector General
 22 shall determine the appropriate number of covered grantees
 23 to be audited each year.
- 24 (c) Mandatory Exclusion.—A grantee that is found 25 to have an unresolved audit finding under an audit con-

1	ducted under subsection (b) may not receive grant funds
2	under a covered grant program in the fiscal year following
3	the fiscal year to which the finding relates.
4	(d) Reimbursement.—If a covered grantee is award-
5	ed funds under the covered grant program from which it
6	received a grant award during the 1-fiscal-year period dur-
7	ing which the covered grantee is ineligible for an allocation
8	of grant funds under subsection (c), the Attorney General
9	shall—
10	(1) deposit into the General Fund of the Treas-
11	ury an amount that is equal to the amount of the
12	grant funds that were improperly awarded to the cov-
13	ered grantee; and
14	(2) seek to recoup the costs of the repayment to
15	the Fund from the covered grantee that was improp-
16	erly awarded the grant funds.
17	(e) Priority of Grant Awards.—The Attorney Gen-
18	eral, in awarding grants under a covered grant program
19	shall give priority to eligible entities that during the 2-year
20	period preceding the application for a grant have not been
21	found to have an unresolved audit finding.
22	(f) Nonprofit Requirements.—
23	(1) Prohibition.—A nonprofit organization
24	that holds money in offshore accounts for the purpose
25	of avoiding the tax described in section 511(a) of the

1	Internal Revenue Code of 1986, shall not be eligible
2	to receive, directly or indirectly, any funds from a
3	covered grant program.
4	(2) Disclosure.—Each nonprofit organization
5	that is a covered grantee shall disclose in its applica-
6	tion for such a grant, as a condition of receipt of such
7	a grant, the compensation of its officers, directors,
8	and trustees. Such disclosure shall include a descrip-
9	tion of the criteria relied on to determine such com-
10	pensation.
11	(g) Prohibition on Lobbying Activity.—
12	(1) In General.—Amounts made available
13	under a covered grant program may not be used by
14	any covered grantee to—
15	(A) lobby any representative of the Depart-
16	ment of Justice regarding the award of grant
17	funding; or
18	(B) lobby any representative of the Federal
19	Government or a State, local, or tribal govern-
20	ment regarding the award of grant funding.
21	(2) Penalty.—If the Attorney General deter-
22	mines that a covered grantee has violated paragraph
23	(1), the Attorney General shall—
24	(A) require the covered grantee to repay the
25	arant in full: and

1	(B) prohibit the covered grantee from receiv-
2	ing a grant under the covered grant program
3	from which it received a grant award during at
4	least the 5-year period beginning on the date of
5	such violation.
6	SEC. 504. FEDERAL REENTRY IMPROVEMENTS.
7	(a) Responsible Reintegration of Offenders.—
8	Section 212 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C.
9	60532) is repealed.
0	(b) Federal Prisoner Reentry Initiative.—Sec-
1	tion 231 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (434 U.S.C.
12	60541) is amended—
13	(1) in subsection (g)—
14	(A) in paragraph (3), by striking "carried
15	out during fiscal years 2009 and 2010" and in-
16	serting "carried out during fiscal years 2019
17	through 2023"; and
18	(B) in paragraph $(5)(A)(ii)$, by striking
9	"the greater of 10 years or";
20	(2) by striking subsection (h);
21	(3) by redesignating subsection (i) as subsection
22	(h); and
23	(4) in subsection (h), as so redesignated, by
24	striking "2009 and 2010" and inserting "2019
25	through 2023".

1	(c) Enhancing Reporting Requirements Per-
2	TAINING TO COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS.—Section 3624(c) of
3	title 18, United States Code, is amended—
4	(1) in paragraph (5), in the second sentence, by
5	inserting ", and number of prisoners not being placed
6	in community corrections facilities for each reason set
7	forth" before ", and any other information"; and
8	(2) in paragraph (6), by striking "the Second
9	Chance Act of 2007" and inserting "the Second
10	Chance Reauthorization Act of 2018".
11	(d) Termination of Study on Effectiveness of
12	Depot Naltrexone for Heroin Addiction.—Section
13	244 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60554)
14	is repealed.
15	(e) Authorization of Appropriations for Re-
16	SEARCH.—Section 245 of the Second Chance Act of 2007
17	(34 U.S.C. 60555) is amended—
18	(1) by striking "243, and 244" and inserting
19	"and 243"; and
20	(2) by striking "\$10,000,000 for each of the fiscal
21	years 2009 and 2010" and inserting "\$5,000,000 for
22	each of the fiscal years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, and
23	2023".
24	(f) Federal Prisoner Recidivism Reduction Pro-
25	GRAMMING ENHANCEMENT.—

1	(1) In General.—Section 3621 of title 18,
2	United States Code, as amended by section 102(a) of
3	this Act, is amended—
4	(A) by redesignating subsection (g) as sub-
5	section (i); and
6	(B) by inserting after subsection (f) the fol-
7	lowing:
8	"(g) Partnerships To Expand Access to Reentry
9	Programs Proven To Reduce Recidivism.—
10	"(1) Definition.—The term 'demonstrated to
11	reduce recidivism' means that the Director of Bureau
12	of Prisons has determined that appropriate research
13	has been conducted and has validated the effectiveness
14	of the type of program on recidivism.
15	"(2) Eligibility for recidivism reduction
16	PARTNERSHIP.—A faith-based or community-based
17	nonprofit organization that provides mentoring or
18	other programs that have been demonstrated to reduce
19	recidivism is eligible to enter into a recidivism reduc-
20	tion partnership with a prison or community-based
21	facility operated by the Bureau of Prisons.
22	"(3) Recidivism reduction partnerships.—
23	The Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall develop
24	policies to require wardens of prisons and commu-
25	nity-based facilities to enter into recidivism reduction

1	partnerships with faith-based and community-based
2	nonprofit organizations that are willing to provide,
3	on a volunteer basis, programs described in para-
4	graph(2).
5	"(4) Reporting requirement.—The Director
6	of the Bureau of Prisons shall submit to Congress an
7	annual report on the last day of each fiscal year
8	that—
9	"(A) details, for each prison and commu-
10	nity-based facility for the fiscal year just
11	ended—
12	"(i) the number of recidivism reduction
13	partnerships under this section that were in
14	$\it effect;$
15	"(ii) the number of volunteers that pro-
16	vided recidivism reduction programming;
17	and
18	"(iii) the number of recidivism reduc-
19	tion programming hours provided; and
20	"(B) explains any disparities between fa-
21	cilities in the numbers reported under subpara-
22	graph(A).".
23	(2) Effective date.—The amendments made
24	by paragraph (1) shall take effect 180 days after the
25	date of enactment of this Act

1	(g) Repeals.—
2	(1) Section 2978 of title I of the Omnibus Crime
3	Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C.
4	10633) is repealed.
5	(2) Part CC of title I of the Omnibus Crime
6	Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C.
7	10581 et seq.) is repealed.
8	SEC. 505. FEDERAL INTERAGENCY REENTRY COORDINA-
9	TION.
10	(a) Reentry Coordination.—The Attorney General,
11	in consultation with the Secretary of Housing and Urban
12	Development, the Secretary of Labor, the Secretary of Edu-
13	cation, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, the
14	Secretary of Veterans Affairs, the Secretary of Agriculture,
15	and the heads of such other agencies of the Federal Govern-
16	ment as the Attorney General considers appropriate, and
17	in collaboration with interested persons, service providers,
18	nonprofit organizations, and State, tribal, and local govern-
19	ments, shall coordinate on Federal programs, policies, and
20	activities relating to the reentry of individuals returning
21	from incarceration to the community, with an emphasis on
22	evidence-based practices and protection against duplication
23	of services.
24	(b) Report.—Not later than 2 years after the date
25	of the enactment of this Act, the Attorney General, in con-

- 1 sultation with the Secretaries listed in subsection (a), shall
- 2 submit to Congress a report summarizing the achievements
- 3 under subsection (a), and including recommendations for
- 4 Congress that would further reduce barriers to successful re-
- 5 entry.

6 SEC. 506. CONFERENCE EXPENDITURES.

- 7 (a) Limitation.—No amounts authorized to be appro-
- 8 priated to the Department of Justice under this title, or
- 9 any amendments made by this title, may be used by the
- 10 Attorney General, or by any individual or organization
- 11 awarded discretionary funds under this title, or any
- 12 amendments made by this title, to host or support any ex-
- 13 penditure for conferences that uses more than \$20,000 in
- 14 Department funds, unless the Deputy Attorney General or
- 15 such Assistant Attorney Generals, Directors, or principal
- 16 deputies as the Deputy Attorney General may designate,
- 17 provides prior written authorization that the funds may be
- 18 expended to host a conference. A conference that uses more
- 19 than \$20,000 in such funds, but less than an average of
- 20 \$500 in such funds for each attendee of the conference, shall
- 21 not be subject to the limitations of this section.
- 22 (b) Written Approval.—Written approval under
- 23 subsection (a) shall include a written estimate of all costs
- 24 associated with the conference, including the cost of all food

1	and beverages, audiovisual equipment, honoraria for speak-
2	ers, and any entertainment.
3	(c) Report.—The Deputy Attorney General shall sub-
4	mit an annual report to the Committee on the Judiciary
5	of the Senate and the Committee on the Judiciary of the
6	House of Representatives on all approved conference ex-
7	penditures referenced in this section.
8	SEC. 507. EVALUATION OF THE SECOND CHANCE ACT PRO-
9	GRAM.
10	(a) Evaluation of the Second Chance Act Grant
11	Program.—Not later than 5 years after the date of enact-
12	ment of this Act, the National Institute of Justice shall
13	evaluate the effectiveness of grants used by the Department
14	of Justice to support offender reentry and recidivism reduc-
15	tion programs at the State, local, Tribal, and Federal levels.
16	The National Institute of Justice shall evaluate the fol-
17	lowing:
18	(1) The effectiveness of such programs in relation
19	to their cost, including the extent to which the pro-
20	grams improve reentry outcomes, including employ-
21	ment, education, housing, reductions in recidivism, of

participants in comparison to comparably situated

individuals who did not participate in such programs

and activities.

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1	(2) The effectiveness of program structures and
2	mechanisms for delivery of services.
3	(3) The impact of such programs on the commu-
4	nities and participants involved.
5	(4) The impact of such programs on related pro-
6	grams and activities.
7	(5) The extent to which such programs meet the
8	needs of various demographic groups.
9	(6) The quality and effectiveness of technical as-
10	sistance provided by the Department of Justice to
11	grantees for implementing such programs.
12	(7) Such other factors as may be appropriate.
13	(b) Authorization of Funds for Evaluation.—
14	Not more than 1 percent of any amounts authorized to be
15	appropriated to carry out the Second Chance Act grant pro-
16	gram shall be made available to the National Institute of
17	Justice each year to evaluate the processes, implementation,
18	outcomes, costs, and effectiveness of the Second Chance Act
19	grant program in improving reentry and reducing recidi-
20	vism. Such funding may be used to provide support to
21	grantees for supplemental data collection, analysis, and co-
22	ordination associated with evaluation activities.
23	(c) Techniques.—Evaluations conducted under this
24	section shall use appropriate methodology and research de-
25	signs. Impact evaluations conducted under this section shall

- include the use of intervention and control groups chosen
 by random assignment methods, to the extent possible.
- 3 (d) Metrics and Outcomes for Evaluation.—
- (1) In General.—Not later than 180 days after 4 5 the date of enactment of this Act, the National Insti-6 tute of Justice shall consult with relevant stakeholders 7 and identify outcome measures, including employ-8 ment, housing, education, and public safety, that are 9 to be achieved by programs authorized under the Sec-10 ond Chance Act grant program and the metrics by 11 which the achievement of such outcomes shall be deter-12 mined.
- 13 (2) PUBLICATION.—Not later than 30 days after
 14 the date on which the National Institute of Justice
 15 identifies metrics and outcomes under paragraph (1),
 16 the Attorney General shall publish such metrics and
 17 outcomes identified.
- 18 (e) DATA COLLECTION.—As a condition of award
 19 under the Second Chance Act grant program (including a
 20 subaward under section 3021(b) of title I of the Omnibus
 21 Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C.
 22 10701(b))), grantees shall be required to collect and report
 23 to the Department of Justice data based upon the metrics
 24 identified under subsection (d). In accordance with applica25 ble law, collection of individual-level data under a pledge

1	of confidentiality shall be protected by the National Insti-
2	tute of Justice in accordance with such pledge.
3	(f) Data Accessibility.—Not later than 5 years after
4	the date of enactment of this Act, the National Institute of
5	Justice shall—
6	(1) make data collected during the course of eval-
7	uation under this section available in de-identified
8	form in such a manner that reasonably protects a
9	pledge of confidentiality to participants under sub-
10	section (e); and
11	(2) make identifiable data collected during the
12	course of evaluation under this section available to
13	qualified researchers for future research and evalua-
14	tion, in accordance with applicable law.
15	(g) Publication and Reporting of Evaluation
16	Findings.—The National Institute of Justice shall—
17	(1) not later than 365 days after the date on
18	which the enrollment of participants in an impact
19	evaluation is completed, publish an interim report on
20	such evaluation;
21	(2) not later than 90 days after the date on
22	which any evaluation is completed, publish and make
23	publicly available such evaluation; and
24	(3) not later than 60 days after the completion
25	date described in paragraph (2), submit a report to

1	the Committee on the Judiciary of the House of Rep-
2	resentatives and the Committee on the Judiciary of
3	the Senate on such evaluation.
4	(h) Second Chance Act Grant Program De-
5	FINED.—In this section, the term "Second Chance Act grant
6	program" means any grant program reauthorized under
7	this title and the amendments made by this title.
8	SEC. 508. GAO REVIEW.
9	Not later than 3 years after the date of enactment of
0	the First Step Act of 2018 the Comptroller General of the
11	United States shall conduct a review of all of the grant
12	awards made under this title and amendments made by this
13	title that includes—
14	(1) an evaluation of the effectiveness of the re-
15	entry programs funded by grant awards under this
16	title and amendments made by this title at reducing
17	recidivism, including a determination of which re-
8	entry programs were most effective;
19	(2) recommendations on how to improve the ef-
20	fectiveness of reentry programs, including those for
21	which prisoners may earn time credits under the
22	First Step Act of 2018; and
23	(3) an evaluation of the effectiveness of mental
24	health services, drug treatment, medical care, job
25	training and placement educational services and vo-

1	cational services programs funded under this title and
2	amendments made by this title.

TITLE VI—MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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5 SEC. 601. PLACEMENT OF PRISONERS CLOSE TO FAMILIES.

6 Section 3621(b) of title 18, United States Code, is 7 amended—

> (1) by striking "shall designate the place of the prisoner's imprisonment." and inserting "shall designate the place of the prisoner's imprisonment, and shall, subject to bed availability, the prisoner's security designation, the prisoner's programmatic needs, the prisoner's mental and medical health needs, any request made by the prisoner related to faith-based needs, recommendations of the sentencing court, and other security concerns of the Bureau of Prisons, place the prisoner in a facility as close as practicable to the prisoner's primary residence, and to the extent practicable, in a facility within 500 driving miles of that residence. The Bureau shall, subject to consideration of the factors described in the preceding sentence and the prisoner's preference for staying at his or her current facility or being transferred, transfer prisoners to facilities that are closer to the prisoner's primary res-

1	idence even if the prisoner is already in a facility
2	within 500 driving miles of that residence."; and
3	(2) by adding at the end the following: "Notwith-
4	standing any other provision of law, a designation of
5	a place of imprisonment under this subsection is not
6	reviewable by any court.".
7	SEC. 602. HOME CONFINEMENT FOR LOW-RISK PRISONERS.
8	Section 3624(c)(2) of title 18, United States Code, is
9	amended by adding at the end the following: "The Bureau
10	of Prisons shall, to the extent practicable, place prisoners
11	with lower risk levels and lower needs on home confinement
12	for the maximum amount of time permitted under this
13	paragraph.".
14	SEC. 603. FEDERAL PRISONER REENTRY INITIATIVE REAU-
15	THORIZATION; MODIFICATION OF IMPOSED
16	TERM OF IMPRISONMENT.
17	(a) Federal Prisoner Reentry Initiative Reau-
18	THORIZATION.—Section 231(g) of the Second Chance Act
19	of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60541(g)) is amended—
20	(1) in paragraph (1)—
21	(A) by inserting "and eligible terminally ill
22	offenders" after "elderly offenders" each place the
23	term appears;

1	(B) in subparagraph (A), by striking "a
2	Bureau of Prisons facility" and inserting "Bu-
3	reau of Prisons facilities";
4	(C) in subparagraph (B)—
5	(i) by striking "the Bureau of Prisons
6	facility" and inserting "Bureau of Prisons
7	facilities"; and
8	(ii) by inserting ", upon written re-
9	quest from either the Bureau of Prisons or
10	an eligible elderly offender or eligible termi-
11	nally ill offender" after "to home deten-
12	tion"; and
13	(D) in subparagraph (C), by striking "the
14	Bureau of Prisons facility" and inserting "Bu-
15	reau of Prisons facilities";
16	(2) in paragraph (2), by inserting "or eligible
17	terminally ill offender" after "elderly offender";
18	(3) in paragraph (3), as amended by section
19	504(b)(1)(A) of this Act, by striking "at least one Bu-
20	reau of Prisons facility" and inserting "Bureau of
21	Prisons facilities"; and
22	(4) in paragraph (4)—
23	(A) by inserting "or eligible terminally ill
24	offender" after "each eligible elderly offender";
25	and

1	(B) by inserting "and eligible terminally ill
2	offenders" after "eligible elderly offenders"; and
3	(5) in paragraph (5)—
4	(A) in subparagraph (A)—
5	(i) in clause (i), striking "65 years of
6	age" and inserting "60 years of age"; and
7	(ii) in clause (ii), as amended by sec-
8	tion $504(b)(1)(B)$ of this Act, by striking
9	"75 percent" and inserting "2/3"; and
10	(B) by adding at the end the following:
11	"(D) Eligible terminally ill of-
12	FENDER.—The term 'eligible terminally ill of-
13	fender' means an offender in the custody of the
14	Bureau of Prisons who—
15	"(i) is serving a term of imprisonment
16	based on conviction for an offense or offenses
17	that do not include any crime of violence
18	(as defined in section 16(a) of title 18,
19	United States Code), sex offense (as defined
20	in section 111(5) of the Sex Offender Reg-
21	istration and Notification Act (34 U.S.C.
22	20911(5))), offense described in section
23	2332b(g)(5)(B) of title 18, United States
24	Code, or offense under chapter 37 of title 18,
25	United States Code;

1	"(ii) satisfies the criteria specified in
2	clauses (iii) through (vii) of subparagraph
3	(A); and
4	"(iii) has been determined by a med-
5	ical doctor approved by the Bureau of Pris-
6	ons to be—
7	"(I) in need of care at a nursing
8	home, intermediate care facility, or as-
9	sisted living facility, as those terms are
10	defined in section 232 of the National
11	Housing Act (12 U.S.C. 1715w); or
12	"(II) diagnosed with a terminal
13	illness.".
14	(b) Increasing the Use and Transparency of
15	Compassionate Release.—Section 3582 of title 18,
16	United States Code, is amended—
17	(1) in subsection $(c)(1)(A)$, in the matter pre-
18	ceding clause (i), by inserting after "Bureau of Pris-
19	ons," the following: "or upon motion of the defendant
20	after the defendant has fully exhausted all adminis-
21	trative rights to appeal a failure of the Bureau of
22	Prisons to bring a motion on the defendant's behalf
23	or the lapse of 30 days from the receipt of such a re-
24	quest by the warden of the defendant's facility, which-
25	ever is earlier,";

1	(2) by redesignating subsection (d) as subsection
2	(e); and
3	(3) by inserting after subsection (c) the fol-
4	lowing:
5	"(d) Notification Requirements.—
6	"(1) Terminal illness defined.—In this sub-
7	section, the term 'terminal illness' means a disease or
8	condition with an end-of-life trajectory.
9	"(2) Notification.—The Bureau of Prisons
10	shall, subject to any applicable confidentiality re-
11	quirements—
12	"(A) in the case of a defendant diagnosed
13	with a terminal illness—
14	"(i) not later than 72 hours after the
15	diagnosis notify the defendant's attorney,
16	partner, and family members of the defend-
17	ant's condition and inform the defendant's
18	attorney, partner, and family members that
19	they may prepare and submit on the de-
20	fendant's behalf a request for a sentence re-
21	$duction\ pursuant\ to\ subsection\ (c)(1)(A);$
22	"(ii) not later than 7 days after the
23	date of the diagnosis, provide the defend-
24	ant's partner and family members (includ-

1	ing extended family) with an opportunity
2	to visit the defendant in person;
3	"(iii) upon request from the defendant
4	or his attorney, partner, or a family mem-
5	ber, ensure that Bureau of Prisons employ-
6	ees assist the defendant in the preparation,
7	drafting, and submission of a request for a
8	sentence reduction pursuant to subsection
9	(c)(1)(A); and
10	"(iv) not later than 14 days of receipt
11	of a request for a sentence reduction sub-
12	mitted on the defendant's behalf by the de-
13	fendant or the defendant's attorney, part-
14	ner, or family member, process the request;
15	"(B) in the case of a defendant who is phys-
16	ically or mentally unable to submit a request for
17	a sentence reduction pursuant to subsection
18	(c)(1)(A)—
19	"(i) inform the defendant's attorney,
20	partner, and family members that they may
21	prepare and submit on the defendant's be-
22	half a request for a sentence reduction pur-
23	$suant\ to\ subsection\ (c)(1)(A);$
24	"(ii) accept and process a request for
25	sentence reduction that has been prepared

1	and submitted on the defendant's behalf by
2	the defendant's attorney, partner, or family
3	member under clause (i); and
4	"(iii) upon request from the defendant
5	or his attorney, partner, or family member,
6	ensure that Bureau of Prisons employees as-
7	sist the defendant in the preparation, draft-
8	ing, and submission of a request for a sen-
9	tence reduction pursuant to subsection
10	(c)(1)(A); and
11	"(C) ensure that all Bureau of Prisons fa-
12	cilities regularly and visibly post, including in
13	prisoner handbooks, staff training materials, and
14	facility law libraries and medical and hospice
15	facilities, and make available to prisoners upon
16	demand, notice of—
17	"(i) a defendant's ability to request a
18	sentence reduction pursuant to subsection
19	(c)(1)(A);
20	"(ii) the procedures and timelines for
21	initiating and resolving requests described
22	in clause (i); and
23	"(iii) the right to appeal a denial of a
24	request described in clause (i) after all ad-

1	ministrative rights to appeal within the
2	Bureau of Prisons have been exhausted.
3	"(3) Annual report.—Not later than 1 year
4	after the date of enactment of this subsection, and
5	once every year thereafter, the Director of the Bureau
6	of Prisons shall submit to the Committee on the Judi-
7	ciary of the Senate and the Committee on the Judici-
8	ary of the House of Representatives a report on re-
9	quests for sentence reductions pursuant to subsection
10	(c)(1)(A), which shall include a description of, for the
11	previous year—
12	"(A) the number of prisoners granted and
13	denied sentence reductions, categorized by the
14	criteria relied on as the grounds for a reduction
15	$in \ sentence;$
16	"(B) the number of requests initiated by or
17	on behalf of prisoners, categorized by the criteria
18	relied on as the grounds for a reduction in sen-
19	tence;
20	"(C) the number of requests that Bureau of
21	Prisons employees assisted prisoners in drafting,
22	preparing, or submitting, categorized by the cri-
23	teria relied on as the grounds for a reduction in
24	sentence, and the final decision made in each re-
25	auest:

1	"(D) the number of requests that attorneys,
2	partners, or family members submitted on a de-
3	fendant's behalf, categorized by the criteria relied
4	on as the grounds for a reduction in sentence,
5	and the final decision made in each request;
6	"(E) the number of requests approved by the
7	Director of the Bureau of Prisons, categorized by
8	the criteria relied on as the grounds for a reduc-
9	tion in sentence;
10	"(F) the number of requests denied by the
11	Director of the Bureau of Prisons and the rea-
12	sons given for each denial, categorized by the cri-
13	teria relied on as the grounds for a reduction in
14	sentence;
15	"(G) for each request, the time elapsed be-
16	tween the date the request was received by the
17	warden and the final decision, categorized by the
18	criteria relied on as the grounds for a reduction
19	in sentence;
20	"(H) for each request, the number of pris-
21	oners who died while their request was pending
22	and, for each, the amount of time that had
23	elapsed between the date the request was received
24	by the Bureau of Prisons, categorized by the cri-

1	teria relied on as the grounds for a reduction in
2	sentence;
3	"(I) the number of Bureau of Prisons notifi-
4	cations to attorneys, partners, and family mem-
5	bers of their right to visit a terminally ill de-
6	fendant as required under paragraph (2)(A)(ii)
7	and, for each, whether a visit occurred and how
8	much time elapsed between the notification and
9	$the \ visit;$
10	"(J) the number of visits to terminally ill
11	prisoners that were denied by the Bureau of
12	Prisons due to security or other concerns, and
13	the reasons given for each denial; and
14	"(K) the number of motions filed by defend-
15	ants with the court after all administrative
16	rights to appeal a denial of a sentence reduction
17	had been exhausted, the outcome of each motion,
18	and the time that had elapsed between the date
19	the request was first received by the Bureau of
20	Prisons and the date the defendant filed the mo-
21	tion with the court.".
22	SEC. 604. IDENTIFICATION FOR RETURNING CITIZENS.
23	(a) Identification and Release Assistance for
24	FEDERAL PRISONERS.—Section 231(b) of the Second
25	Chance Act of 2007 (34 U.S.C. 60541(b)) is amended—

1	(1) in paragraph (1)—
2	(A) by striking "(including" and inserting
3	"prior to release from a term of imprisonment in
4	a Federal prison or if the individual was not
5	sentenced to a term of imprisonment in a Fed-
6	eral prison, prior to release from a sentence to
7	a term in community confinement, including";
8	and
9	(B) by striking "or birth certificate) prior
10	to release" and inserting "and a birth certifi-
11	cate"; and
12	(2) by adding at the end the following:
13	"(4) Definition.—In this subsection, the term
14	'community confinement' means residence in a com-
15	munity treatment center, halfway house, restitution
16	center, mental health facility, alcohol or drug reha-
17	bilitation center, or other community facility.".
18	(b) Duties of the Bureau of Prisons.—Section
19	4042(a) of title 18, United States Code, is amended—
20	(1) by redesignating paragraphs (D) and (E) as
21	paragraphs (6) and (7), respectively;
22	(2) in paragraph (6) (as so redesignated)—
23	(A) in clause (i)—
24	(i) by striking "Social Security
25	Cards,"; and

1	(ii) by striking "and" at the end;
2	(B) by redesignating clause (ii) as clause
3	(iii);
4	(C) by inserting after clause (i) the fol-
5	lowing:
6	"(ii) obtain identification, including a
7	social security card, driver's license or other
8	official photo identification, and a birth
9	certificate; and";
10	(D) in clause (iii) (as so redesignated), by
11	inserting after "prior to release" the following:
12	"from a sentence to a term of imprisonment in
13	a Federal prison or if the individual was not
14	sentenced to a term of imprisonment in a Fed-
15	eral prison, prior to release from a sentence to
16	a term of community confinement"; and
17	(E) by redesignating clauses (i), (ii), and
18	(iii) (as so amended) as subparagraphs (A), (B),
19	and (C), respectively, and adjusting the margins
20	accordingly; and
21	(3) in paragraph (7) (as so redesignated), by re-
22	designating clauses (i) through (vii) as subparagraphs
23	(A) through (G), respectively, and adjusting the mar-
24	gins accordingly.

1	SEC. 605. EXPANDING INMATE EMPLOYMENT THROUGH
2	FEDERAL PRISON INDUSTRIES.
3	(a) New Market Authorizations.—Chapter 307 of
4	title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting after
5	section 4129 the following:
6	"§ 4130. Additional markets
7	"(a) In General.—Except as provided in subsection
8	(b), notwithstanding any other provision of law, Federal
9	Prison Industries may sell products to—
10	"(1) public entities for use in penal or correc-
11	$tional\ institutions;$
12	"(2) public entities for use in disaster relief or
13	emergency response;
14	"(3) the government of the District of Columbia;
15	and
16	"(4) any organization described in subsection
17	(c)(3), $(c)(4)$, or (d) of section 501 of the Internal
18	Revenue Code of 1986 that is exempt from taxation
19	under section 501(a) of such Code.
20	"(b) Office Furniture.—Federal Prison Industries
21	may not sell office furniture to the organizations described
22	in subsection $(a)(4)$.
23	"(c) Definitions.—In this section:
24	"(1) The term 'office furniture' means any prod-
25	uct or service offering intended to meet the furnishing

- needs of the workplace, including office, healthcare,
 educational, and hospitality environments.
- 3 "(2) The term 'public entity' means a State, a 4 subdivision of a State, an Indian tribe, and an agen-5 cy or governmental corporation or business of any of 6 the foregoing.
- "(3) The term 'State' means a State, the District
 of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico,
 Guam, American Samoa, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the United States Virgin Islands.".
- 11 (b) TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections for 12 chapter 307 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by 13 inserting after the item relating to section 4129 the fol-14 lowing:

"4130. Additional markets.".

15 (c) Deferred Compensation.—Section 4126(c)(4) of 16 title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting after 17 "operations," the following: "not less than 15 percent of 18 such compensation for any inmate shall be reserved in the 19 fund or a separate account and made available to assist 20 the inmate with costs associated with release from prison,". 21 (d) GAO REPORT.—Beginning not later than 90 days 22 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller Gen-

eral of the United States shall conduct an audit of Federal

24 Prison Industries that includes the following:

- (1) An evaluation of Federal Prison Industries's effectiveness in reducing recidivism compared to other rehabilitative programs in the prison system.
 - (2) An evaluation of the scope and size of the additional markets made available to Federal Prison Industries under this section and the total market value that would be opened up to Federal Prison Industries for competition with private sector providers of products and services.
 - (3) An evaluation of whether the following factors create an unfair competitive environment between Federal Prison Industries and private sector providers of products and services which would be exacerbated by further expansion:
 - (A) Federal Prison Industries's status as a mandatory source of supply for Federal agencies and the requirement that the buying agency must obtain a waiver in order to make a competitive purchase from the private sector if the item to be acquired is listed on the schedule of products and services published by Federal Prison Industries.
 - (B) Federal Prison Industries's ability to determine that the price to be paid by Federal Agencies is fair and reasonable, rather than such

- a determination being made by the buying agen cy.
 - (C) An examination of the extent to which Federal Prison Industries is bound by the requirements of the generally applicable Federal Acquisition Regulation pertaining to the conformity of the delivered product with the specified design and performance specifications and adherence to the delivery schedule required by the Federal agency, based on the transactions being categorized as interagency transfers.
 - (D) An examination of the extent to which Federal Prison Industries avoids transactions that are little more than pass through transactions where the work provided by inmates does not create meaningful value or meaningful work opportunities for inmates.
 - (E) The extent to which Federal Prison Industries must comply with the same worker protection, workplace safety and similar regulations applicable to, and enforceable against, Federal contractors.
 - (F) The wages Federal Prison Industries pays to inmates, taking into account inmate productivity and other factors such as security

1	concerns associated with having a facility in a
2	prison.
3	(G) The effect of any additional cost advan-
4	tages Federal Prison Industries has over private
5	sector providers of goods and services, includ-
6	ing—
7	(i) the costs absorbed by the Bureau of
8	Prisons such as inmate medical care and
9	infrastructure expenses including real estate
10	and utilities; and
11	(ii) its exemption from Federal and
12	State income taxes and property taxes.
13	(4) An evaluation of the extent to which the cus-
14	tomers of Federal Prison Industries are satisfied with
15	quality, price, and timely delivery of the products
16	and services provided it provides, including sum-
17	maries of other independent assessments such as re-
18	ports of agency inspectors general, if applicable.
19	SEC. 606. DE-ESCALATION TRAINING.
20	Beginning not later than 1 year after the date of enact-
21	ment of this Act, the Director of the Bureau of Prisons shall
22	incorporate into training programs provided to officers and
23	employees of the Bureau of Prisons (including officers and
24	employees of an organization with which the Bureau of
25	Prisons has a contract to provide services relating to im-

1	prisonment) specialized and comprehensive training in pro-
2	cedures to—
3	(1) de-escalate encounters between a law enforce-
4	ment officer or an officer or employee of the Bureau
5	of Prisons, and a civilian or a prisoner (as such term
6	is defined in section 3635 of title 18, United States
7	Code, as added by section 101(a) of this Act); and
8	(2) identify and appropriately respond to inci-
9	dents that involve the unique needs of individuals who
10	have a mental illness or cognitive deficit.
11	SEC. 607. EVIDENCE-BASED TREATMENT FOR OPIOID AND
12	HEROIN ABUSE.
13	(a) Report on Evidence-based Treatment for
14	Opioid and Heroin Abuse.—Not later than 90 days after
15	the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the Bureau
16	of Prisons shall submit to the Committees on the Judiciary
17	and the Committees on Appropriations of the Senate and
18	of the House of Representatives a report assessing the avail-
19	ability of and the capacity of the Bureau of Prisons to treat
20	heroin and opioid abuse through evidence-based programs,
21	$including\ medication-assisted\ treatment\ where\ appropriate.$
22	In preparing the report, the Director shall consider medica-
23	tion-assisted treatment as a strategy to assist in treatment
24	where appropriate and not as a replacement for holistic and
25	other drug-free approaches. The report shall include a de-

- 1 scription of plans to expand access to evidence-based treat-
- 2 ment for heroin and opioid abuse for prisoners, including
- 3 access to medication-assisted treatment in appropriate
- 4 cases. Following submission, the Director shall take steps
- 5 to implement these plans.
- 6 (b) Report on the Availability of Medication-
- 7 Assisted Treatment for Opioid and Heroin Abuse,
- 8 And Implementation Thereof.—Not later than 120 days
- 9 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the
- 10 Administrative Office of the United States Courts shall sub-
- 11 mit to the Committees on the Judiciary and the Committees
- 12 on Appropriations of the Senate and of the House of Rep-
- 13 resentatives a report assessing the availability of and ca-
- 14 pacity for the provision of medication-assisted treatment for
- 15 opioid and heroin abuse by treatment service providers serv-
- 16 ing prisoners who are serving a term of supervised release,
- 17 and including a description of plans to expand access to
- 18 medication-assisted treatment for heroin and opioid abuse
- 19 whenever appropriate among prisoners under supervised re-
- 20 lease. Following submission, the Director will take steps to
- 21 implement these plans.
- 22 SEC. 608. PILOT PROGRAMS.
- 23 (a) In General.—The Bureau of Prisons shall estab-
- 24 lish each of the following pilot programs for 5 years, in
- 25 at least 20 facilities:

- 1 (1) MENTORSHIP FOR YOUTH.—A program to
 2 pair youth with volunteers from faith-based or com3 munity organizations, which may include formerly
 4 incarcerated offenders, that have relevant experience
 5 or expertise in mentoring, and a willingness to serve
 6 as a mentor in such a capacity.
- 7 (2) Service to Abandoned, rescued, or oth8 Erwise vulnerable animals.—A program to equip
 9 prisoners with the skills to provide training and ther10 apy to animals seized by Federal law enforcement
 11 under asset forfeiture authority and to organizations
 12 that provide shelter and similar services to aban13 doned, rescued, or otherwise vulnerable animals.
- 14 (b) REPORTING REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 1 year 15 after the conclusion of the pilot programs, the Attorney Gen-16 eral shall report to Congress on the results of the pilot pro-17 grams under this section. Such report shall include cost sav-18 ings, numbers of participants, and information about re-19 cidivism rates among participants.
- 20 (c) DEFINITION.—In this title, the term "youth"
 21 means a prisoner (as such term is defined in section 3635
 22 of title 18, United States Code, as added by section 101(a)
 23 of this Act) who was 21 years of age or younger at the time
 24 of the commission or alleged commission of the criminal

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1	offense for which the individual is being prosecuted or serv-
2	ing a term of imprisonment, as the case may be.
3	SEC. 609. ENSURING SUPERVISION OF RELEASED SEXU-
4	ALLY DANGEROUS PERSONS.
5	(a) Probation Officers.—Section 3603 of title 18,
6	United States Code, is amended in paragraph (8)(A) by
7	striking "or 4246" and inserting ", 4246, or 4248".
8	(b) Pretrial Services Officers.—Section 3154 of
9	title 18, United States Code, is amended in paragraph
10	(12)(A) by striking "or 4246" and inserting ", 4246, or
11	4248".
12	SEC. 610. DATA COLLECTION.
13	(a) National Prisoner Statistics Program.—Be-
14	ginning not later than 1 year after the date of enactment
15	of this Act, and annually thereafter, pursuant to the author-
16	ity under section 302 of the Omnibus Crime Control and
17	Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 3732), the Director of
18	the Bureau of Justice Statistics, with information that shall
19	be provided by the Director of the Bureau of Prisons, shall
20	include in the National Prisoner Statistics Program the fol-
21	lowing:
22	(1) The number of prisoners (as such term is de-
23	fined in section 3635 of title 18, United States Code,
24	as added by section 101(a) of this Act) who are vet-

 $erans\ of\ the\ Armed\ Forces\ of\ the\ United\ States.$

- 1 (2) The number of prisoners who have been 2 placed in solitary confinement at any time during the 3 previous year.
 - (3) The number of female prisoners known by the Bureau of Prisons to be pregnant, as well as the outcomes of such pregnancies, including information on pregnancies that result in live birth, stillbirth, miscarriage, abortion, ectopic pregnancy, maternal death, neonatal death, and preterm birth.
 - (4) The number of prisoners who volunteered to participate in a substance abuse treatment program, and the number of prisoners who have participated in such a program.
 - (5) The number of prisoners provided medication-assisted treatment with medication approved by the Food and Drug Administration while in custody in order to treat substance use disorder.
 - (6) The number of prisoners who were receiving medication-assisted treatment with medication approved by the Food and Drug Administration prior to the commencement of their term of imprisonment.
 - (7) The number of prisoners who are the parent or guardian of a minor child.
 - (8) The number of prisoners who are single, married, or otherwise in a committed relationship.

1	(9) The number of prisoners who have not
2	achieved a GED, high school diploma, or equivalent
3	prior to entering prison.
4	(10) The number of prisoners who, during the
5	previous year, received their GED or other equivalent
6	certificate while incarcerated.
7	(11) The numbers of prisoners for whom English
8	is a second language.
9	(12) The number of incidents, during the pre-
10	vious year, in which restraints were used on a female
11	prisoner during pregnancy, labor, or postpartum re-
12	covery, as well as information relating to the type of
13	restraints used, and the circumstances under which
14	each incident occurred.
15	(13) The vacancy rate for medical and
16	healthcare staff positions, and average length of such
17	a vacancy.
18	(14) The number of facilities that operated, at
19	any time during the previous year, without at least
20	1 clinical nurse, certified paramedic, or licensed phy-
21	sician on site.
22	(15) The number of facilities that during the
23	previous year were accredited by the American Cor-

 $rectional\ Association.$

1	(16) The number and type of recidivism reduc-
2	tion partnerships described in section 3621(h)(5) of
3	title 18, United States Code, as added by section
4	102(a) of this Act, entered into by each facility.
5	(17) The number of facilities with remote learn-
6	ing capabilities.
7	(18) The number of facilities that offer prisoners
8	video conferencing.
9	(19) Any changes in costs related to legal phone
10	calls and visits following implementation of section
11	3632(d)(1) of title 18, United States Code, as added
12	by section 101(a) of this Act.
13	(20) The number of aliens in prison during the
14	previous year.
15	(21) For each Bureau of Prisons facility, the
16	total number of violations that resulted in reductions
17	in rewards, incentives, or time credits, the number of
18	such violations for each category of violation, and the
19	demographic breakdown of the prisoners who have re-
20	ceived such reductions.
21	(22) The number of assaults on Bureau of Pris-
22	ons staff by prisoners and the number of criminal
23	prosecutions of prisoners for assaulting Bureau of

Prisons staff.

1	(23) The capacity of each recidivism reduction
2	program and productive activity to accommodate eli-
3	gible inmates at each Bureau of Prisons facility.
4	(24) The number of volunteers who were certified
5	to volunteer in a Bureau of Prisons facility, broken
6	down by level (level I and level II), and by each Bu-
7	reau of Prisons facility.
8	(25) The number of prisoners enrolled in recidi-
9	vism reduction programs and productive activities at
10	each Bureau of Prisons facility, broken down by risk
11	level and by program, and the number of those en-
12	rolled prisoners who successfully completed each pro-
13	gram.
14	(26) The breakdown of prisoners classified at
15	each risk level by demographic characteristics, includ-
16	ing age, sex, race, and the length of the sentence im-
17	posed.
18	(b) Report to Judiciary Committees.—Beginning
19	not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this
20	Act, and annually thereafter for a period of 7 years, the
21	Director of the Bureau of Justice Statistics shall submit a
22	report containing the information described in paragraphs
23	(1) through (26) of subsection (a) to the Committee on the
24	Indiciary of the Senate and the Committee on the Indici

 $25 \ \ {\it ary of the House of Representatives}.$

1	SEC. 611. HEALTHCARE PRODUCTS.
2	(a) Availability.—The Director of the Bureau of
3	Prisons shall make the healthcare products described in sub-
4	section (c) available to prisoners for free, in a quantity that
5	is appropriate to the healthcare needs of each prisoner.
6	(b) Quality Products.—The Director shall ensure
7	that the healthcare products provided under this section
8	conform with applicable industry standards.
9	(c) Products.—The healthcare products described in
10	this subsection are tampons and sanitary napkins.
11	SEC. 612. ADULT AND JUVENILE COLLABORATION PRO-
12	GRAMS.
13	Section 2991 of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control
14	and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10651) is amend-
15	ed—
16	(1) in subsection $(b)(4)$ —
17	(A) by striking subparagraph (D); and
18	(B) by redesignating subparagraph (E) as
19	$subparagraph\ (D);$
20	(2) in subsection (e), by striking "may use up to
21	3 percent" and inserting "shall use not less than 6
22	percent"; and
23	(3) by amending subsection (g) to read as fol-
24	lows:
25	"(g) Collaboration Set-Aside.—The Attorney Gen-
26	eral shall use not less than 8 percent of funds appropriated

1	to provide technical assistance to State and local govern-
2	ments receiving grants under this part to foster collabora-
3	tion between such governments in furtherance of the pur-
4	poses set forth in section 3 of the Mentally Ill Offender
5	Treatment and Crime Reduction Act of 2004 (34 U.S.C.
6	10651 note).".
7	SEC. 613. JUVENILE SOLITARY CONFINEMENT.
8	(a) In General.—Chapter 403 of title 18, United
9	States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:
10	"§ 5043. Juvenile solitary confinement
11	"(a) Definitions.—In this section—
12	"(1) the term 'covered juvenile' means—
13	"(A) a juvenile who—
14	"(i) is being proceeded against under
15	this chapter for an alleged act of juvenile
16	delinquency; or
17	"(ii) has been adjudicated delinquent
18	under this chapter; or
19	"(B) a juvenile who is being proceeded
20	against as an adult in a district court of the
21	United States for an alleged criminal offense;
22	"(2) the term 'juvenile facility' means any facil-
23	ity where covered juveniles are—
24	"(A) committed pursuant to an adjudica-
25	tion of delinquency under this chapter; or

1	"(B) detained prior to disposition or con-
2	viction; and
3	"(3) the term 'room confinement' means the in-
4	voluntary placement of a covered juvenile alone in a
5	cell, room, or other area for any reason.
6	"(b) Prohibition on Room Confinement in Juve-
7	NILE FACILITIES.—
8	"(1) In general.—The use of room confinement
9	at a juvenile facility for discipline, punishment, retal-
10	iation, or any reason other than as a temporary re-
11	sponse to a covered juvenile's behavior that poses a se-
12	rious and immediate risk of physical harm to any in-
13	dividual, including the covered juvenile, is prohibited.
14	"(2) Juveniles posing risk of harm.—
15	"(A) REQUIREMENT TO USE LEAST RE-
16	STRICTIVE TECHNIQUES.—
17	"(i) In general.—Before a staff mem-
18	ber of a juvenile facility places a covered ju-
19	venile in room confinement, the staff mem-
20	ber shall attempt to use less restrictive tech-
21	niques, including—
22	"(I) talking with the covered juve-
23	nile in an attempt to de-escalate the
24	situation; and

1	"(II) permitting a qualified men-
2	tal health professional to talk to the
3	covered juvenile.
4	"(ii) Explanation.—If, after attempt-
5	ing to use less restrictive techniques as re-
6	quired under clause (i), a staff member of
7	a juvenile facility decides to place a covered
8	juvenile in room confinement, the staff
9	member shall first—
10	"(I) explain to the covered juve-
11	nile the reasons for the room confine-
12	ment; and
13	"(II) inform the covered juvenile
14	that release from room confinement
15	will occur—
16	"(aa) immediately when the
17	covered juvenile regains self-con-
18	trol, as described in subparagraph
19	(B)(i); or
20	"(bb) not later than after the
21	expiration of the time period de-
22	scribed in subclause (I) or (II) of
23	subparagraph (B)(ii), as applica-
24	ble.

1	"(B) Maximum period of confine-
2	MENT.—If a covered juvenile is placed in room
3	confinement because the covered juvenile poses a
4	serious and immediate risk of physical harm to
5	himself or herself, or to others, the covered juve-
6	nile shall be released—
7	"(i) immediately when the covered ju-
8	venile has sufficiently gained control so as
9	to no longer engage in behavior that threat-
10	ens serious and immediate risk of physical
11	harm to himself or herself, or to others; or
12	"(ii) if a covered juvenile does not suf-
13	ficiently gain control as described in clause
14	(i), not later than—
15	"(I) 3 hours after being placed in
16	room confinement, in the case of a cov-
17	ered juvenile who poses a serious and
18	immediate risk of physical harm to
19	$others;\ or$
20	"(II) 30 minutes after being
21	placed in room confinement, in the
22	case of a covered juvenile who poses a
23	serious and immediate risk of physical
24	harm only to himself or herself.

1	"(C) RISK OF HARM AFTER MAXIMUM PE-
2	RIOD OF CONFINEMENT.—If, after the applicable
3	maximum period of confinement under subclause
4	(I) or (II) of subparagraph (B)(ii) has expired,
5	a covered juvenile continues to pose a serious
6	and immediate risk of physical harm described
7	in that subclause—
8	"(i) the covered juvenile shall be trans-
9	ferred to another juvenile facility or inter-
10	nal location where services can be provided
11	to the covered juvenile without relying on
12	room confinement; or
13	"(ii) if a qualified mental health pro-
14	fessional believes the level of crisis service
15	needed is not currently available, a staff
16	member of the juvenile facility shall initiate
17	a referral to a location that can meet the
18	needs of the covered juvenile.
19	"(D) Spirit and purpose.—The use of
20	consecutive periods of room confinement to evade
21	the spirit and purpose of this subsection shall be
22	prohibited."

- 1 (b) Technical and Conforming Amendment.—The
- 2 table of sections for chapter 403 of title 18, United States
- 3 Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

"5043. Juvenile solitary confinement.".

Attest:

Secretary.

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SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE AMENDMENT