

115TH CONGRESS
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S. 2577

To reauthorize programs authorized under the Debbie Smith Act of 2004.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 20, 2018

Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. HELLER, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. LEAHY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Debbie Smith Reau-
5 thorization Act of 2018”.

6 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION.**

7 Section 2 of the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination
8 Act of 2000 (34 U.S.C. 40701) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (c)(3)—

1 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
2 “2014 through 2019” and inserting “2019
3 through 2024”; and

4 (B) in subparagraph (C), by striking
5 “2014 through 2019” and inserting “2019
6 through 2024”; and

7 (2) in subsection (j), by striking “2015 through
8 2019” and inserting “2019 through 2024”.

9 **SEC. 3. TRAINING AND EDUCATION.**

10 Section 303(b) of the DNA Sexual Assault Justice
11 Act of 2004 (34 U.S.C. 40722(b)) is amended by striking
12 “2015 through 2019” and inserting “2019 through
13 2024”.

14 **SEC. 4. SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAM GRANTS.**

15 Section 304(d) of the DNA Sexual Assault Justice
16 Act of 2004 (34 U.S.C. 40723(d)) is amended by striking
17 “2015 through 2019” and inserting “2019 through
18 2024”.

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