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To amend the First Step Act of 2018 to permit defendants convicted of certain offenses to be eligible for reduced sentences, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. JACKSON LEE introduced the following bill; which was 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 “Terry Technical Cor-
5 rection Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. APPLICATION OF FAIR SENTENCING ACT OF 2010.**

7 Section 404 of the First Step Act of 2018 (21 U.S.C.
8 841 note) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (a)—

1 (A) by striking “‘covered offense’ means”
2 and inserting the following:

3 “‘covered offense’—

4 “(1) means”;

5 (B) by striking the period at the end and
6 inserting “; and”; and

7 (C) by adding at the end the following:

8 “(2) includes a violation, involving cocaine base,
9 of—

10 “(A) section 3113 of title 5, United States
11 Code;

12 “(B) section 401(b)(1)(C) of the Con-
13 trolled Substances Act (21 U.S.C.
14 841(b)(1)(C));

15 “(C) section 404(a) of the Controlled Sub-
16 stances Act (21 U.S.C. 844(a));

17 “(D) section 406 of the Controlled Sub-
18 stances Act (21 U.S.C. 846);

19 “(E) section 408 of the Controlled Sub-
20 stances Act (21 U.S.C. 848);

21 “(F) subsection (b) or (c) of section 409 of
22 the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 849);

23 “(G) subsection (a) or (b) of section 418
24 of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C.
25 859);

1 “(H) subsection (a), (b), or (c) of section
2 419 of the Controlled Substances Act (21
3 U.S.C. 860);

4 “(I) section 420 of the Controlled Sub-
5 stances Act (21 U.S.C. 861);

6 “(J) section 1010(b)(3) of the Controlled
7 Substances Import and Export Act (21 U.S.C.
8 960(b)(3));

9 “(K) section 1010A of the Controlled Sub-
10 stances Import and Export Act (21 U.S.C.
11 960a);

12 “(L) section 90103 of the Violent Crime
13 Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (34
14 U.S.C. 12522);

15 “(M) section 70503 or 70506 of title 46,
16 United States Code; or

17 “(N) any attempt, conspiracy or sollicita-
18 tion to commit an offense described in subpara-
19 graphs (A) through (M).”; and

20 (2) in subsection (c), by inserting “A motion
21 made under this section that was denied after a
22 court determination that a violation described in
23 subsection (a)(2) was not a covered offense shall not
24 be considered a denial after a complete review of the
25 motion on the merits within the meaning of this sec-

- 1 tion.” after the period at the end of the second sen-
- 2 tence.

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