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To amend the Consumer Product Safety Act by repealing certain provisions pertaining to enjoining disclosure, increasing the minimum baseline civil penalties for violations, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. RUSH introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “Safety Hazard and
5 Recall Efficiency Information Act” or the “SHARE Infor-
6 mation Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF ENJOINMENT OF DISCLOSURES.**

2 Section 6(b) of the Consumer Product Safety Act (15
3 U.S.C. 2055(b)) is amended—

4 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “Except as
5 provided by paragraph (4) of this subsection” and
6 inserting “Except as provided by paragraph (3) of
7 this subsection”;

8 (2) by striking paragraph (3);

9 (3) by redesignating paragraphs (4) through
10 (8) as paragraphs (3) through (7), respectively; and

11 (4) in paragraph (3) (as redesignated by para-
12 graph (3)), by striking “Paragraphs (1) through
13 (3)” and inserting “Paragraphs (1) and (2)”.

14 **SEC. 3. INCREASE IN CIVIL PENALTIES.**

15 (a) AMENDMENT.—Section 20(a) of the Consumer
16 Product Safety Act (15 U.S.C. 2069(a)) is amended by
17 striking “\$15,000,000” each place it appears and insert-
18 ing “\$50,000,000”.

19 (b) APPLICATION.—The amendment made by sub-
20 section (a) shall apply to violations of the Consumer Prod-
21 uct Safety Act occurring on or after the date of enactment
22 of this Act.

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