

117TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6676

To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit administering COVID–19 vaccines to minors without parental consent, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 9, 2022

Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER (for herself, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mrs. CAMMACK, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. BACON, Mr. TIFFANY, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. STAUBER, and Mr. LATTA) 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 “Protecting Parental
5 Rights Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADMINISTERING COVID-19 VACCINES TO MINORS**
2 **WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 7 of title 18, United
4 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
5 lowing:

6 **“§ 120. Administering COVID-19 vaccines to minors**
7 **without parental consent**

8 “Whoever, in or affecting interstate or foreign com-
9 merce, administers a COVID-19 vaccine to an individual
10 who has not attained the age of 18 without the prior con-
11 sent of a custodial parent or legal guardian of that indi-
12 vidual, shall be fined under this title, imprisoned not more
13 than 1 year, or both.”.

14 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
15 for chapter 7 of title 18, United States Code, is amended
16 by inserting after the item related to section 119 the fol-
17 lowing:

“120. Administering COVID-19 vaccines to minors without parental consent.”.

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