

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1382

To amend section 1507 of title 18, United States Code, to establish appropriate penalties for obstruction of justice by picketing or parading in or near court buildings or residences of judges, jurors, witnesses, or other court officers.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 27, 2023

Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself, Mr. COTTON, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. HAWLEY, Mr. RUBIO, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. BOOZMAN) 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 “Protecting Our Su-
5 preme Court Justices Act of 2023”.

1 **SEC. 2. OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE BY PICKETING OR PA-**
2 **RADING.**

3 Section 1507 of title 18, United States Code, is
4 amended, in the first undesignated paragraph, by striking
5 “one year” and inserting “5 years”.

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