

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 6315

To improve the Safe Routes to School Program, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 16, 2021

Mr. NEGUSE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

A BILL

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other purposes.

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 “Safe Routes to All
5 Schools Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROGRAM.**

7 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
8 gress that—

9 (1) the safe routes to school program under sec-
10 tion 1404 of SAFETEA-LU (23 U.S.C. 402 note;
11 Public Law 109–59) (referred to in this subsection

1 as the “program”) should be expanded to include
2 high school students as well as primary and middle
3 school students;

4 (2) the program helps ensure the safety of chil-
5 dren; and

6 (3) Congress should continue to provide funding
7 for this important program.

8 (b) SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL.—Section 1404 of
9 SAFETEA-LU (23 U.S.C. 402 note; Public Law 109–
10 59) is amended—

11 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “primary and
12 middle” and inserting “primary, middle, and high”;
13 and

14 (2) in subsection (k)(2)—

15 (A) in the heading, by striking “PRIMARY
16 AND MIDDLE” and inserting “PRIMARY, MID-
17 DLE, AND HIGH”;

18 (B) by striking “primary and middle” and
19 inserting “primary, middle, and high”; and

20 (C) by striking “eighth grade” and insert-
21 ing “12th grade”.

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