

107<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 4783

To authorize States under Federal health care grant-in-aid programs to require parental consent or notification for purpose of purchase of prescription drugs or devices for minors.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 21, 2002

Mr. BRADY of Texas (for himself, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. PITTS, Mr. TERRY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. BARR of Georgia, and Ms. HART) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## 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 “State’s and Parental  
5 Rights Improvement Act of 2002”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION FOR STATES TO REQUIRE PAREN-**  
2 **TAL CONSENT OR NOTIFICATION FOR PUR-**  
3 **POSE OF PURCHASE OF PRESCRIPTION**  
4 **DRUGS OR DEVICES FOR MINORS UNDER**  
5 **FEDERAL HEALTH CARE GRANT-IN-AID PRO-**  
6 **GRAMS.**

7 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a State  
8 shall not be considered to have violated any term or condi-  
9 tion of any Federal health care grant-in-aid program inso-  
10 far as the State requires the consent or notification of a  
11 parent or guardian with respect to the dispensing of a pre-  
12 scription drug or device (or any class of drugs or devices  
13 specified by the State) to a minor.

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