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S. 2208

To provide that children’s sleepwear shall be manufactured in accordance with stricter flammability standards.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 18, 2002

Mrs. CLINTON (for herself and Mr. BIDEN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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 “Children’s Sleepwear
5 Safety Act of 2002”.

6 **SEC. 2. REVOCATION OF AMENDMENTS.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Without regard to any other law,
8 not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment
9 of this Act, the Consumer Product Safety Commission
10 shall amend its Flammable Fabrics Act standards to re-

1 voke the amendments to the standards for the flamma-
2 bility of children's sleepwear sizes 0 through 6X (con-
3 tained in regulations published at 16 C.F.R. part 1615)
4 and 7 through 14 (contained in regulations published at
5 16 C.F.R. part 1616) issued by the Commission on Sep-
6 tember 9, 1996 (61 Fed. Reg. 47,634).

7 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Sleepwear manufactured or
8 imported before the effective date (as established by the
9 Commission) of the Commission's revocation required by
10 subsection (a) shall not be considered in violation of the
11 Flammable Fabrics Act if it complied with the Commis-
12 sion rules in effect at the time it was manufactured or
13 imported.

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