

112TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 6702

To amend the National Organ Transplant Act to prevent the sale of bone marrow and umbilical cord blood, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 20, 2012

Mr. YOUNG of Florida (for himself and Ms. MATSUI) 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. AMENDMENT TO THE NATIONAL ORGAN**  
4 **TRANSPLANT ACT TO PREVENT THE SALE OF**  
5 **BONE MARROW AND UMBILICAL CORD**  
6 **BLOOD.**

7 Paragraph 1 of section 301(c) of the National Organ  
8 Transplant Act (42 U.S.C. 274e(c)) is amended—

1           (1) by inserting “(as defined in section 379A–  
2           1 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 274l–  
3           1))” after “bone marrow”; and

4           (2) by inserting “, a cord blood unit (as defined  
5           in section 2(g) of the Stem Cell Therapeutic and Re-  
6           search Act of 2005 (42 U.S.C. 274k note),” after  
7           “skin or any subpart thereof”.

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