

117TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 6613

To extend certain national school lunch program requirement waivers addressing COVID–19, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 2022

Ms. SPANBERGER (for herself, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Mr. KATKO) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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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 “Keeping School Meals  
5 Flexible Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF CERTAIN NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH**

7 **PROGRAM REQUIREMENT WAIVERS AD-**

8 **DRESSING COVID–19.**

9 Section 2202 of the Families First Coronavirus Re-  
10 sponse Act (42 U.S.C. 1760 note) is amended—

1           (1) by amending subsection (e) to read as fol-  
2       lows:

3       “(e) SUNSET.—The authority of the Secretary to es-  
4       tablish, grant, or extend a waiver under this section shall  
5       expire on June 30, 2023.”; and

6           (2) by adding at the end the following:

7       “(g) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
8       is authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be nec-  
9       essary to carry out this section.”.

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