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To amend title 28, United States Code, to limit the authority of district courts of the United States to provide injunctive relief, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 25, 2025

Mr. HAWLEY (for himself, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. MORENO) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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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 “Nationwide Injunction
5 Abuse Prevention Act of 2025”.

1 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON AUTHORITY OF DISTRICT COURTS**
2 **OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROVIDE IN-**
3 **JUNCTIVE RELIEF.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 85 of title 28, United
5 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:

7 **“§ 1370. Limitation on authority to provide injunctive**
8 **relief**

9 “Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a dis-
10 trict court shall not issue any order providing for injunc-
11 tive relief, unless the order is applicable only to—

12 “(1) a party to the case before the district
13 court; or

14 “(2) the judicial district of the district court.”.

15 (b) TABLE OF SECTIONS.—The table of sections for
16 chapter 85 of title 28, United States Code, is amended
17 by adding at the end the following:

“1370. Limitation on authority to provide injunctive relief.”.

