

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 5000

To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide funding for school resource officers, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 2023

Mr. GOTTHEIMER (for himself, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. KIM of New Jersey, Ms. MACE, Mr. BACON, Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina, Mr. MOSKOWITZ, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. TONY GONZALES of Texas, Mr. COSTA, and Mr. THOMPSON of California) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 “Strengthening Our
5 Schools Act of 2023” or the “SOS Act of 2023”.

1 **SEC. 2. FUNDING FOR SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS.**

2 Section 1101(a)(11) of the Omnibus Crime Control
3 and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10261(a)(11))
4 is amended—

5 (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking
6 “\$1,047,119,000 for each of fiscal years 2006
7 through 2009” and inserting “\$1,097,119,000 for
8 each of fiscal years 2024 through 2033”; and

9 (2) in subparagraph (B), by inserting after “of
10 the purposes of part Q” the following: “, and not
11 less than \$50,000,000 shall be allocated for grants
12 pursuant to applications submitted by units of local
13 government or law enforcement agencies for the pur-
14 poses described in section 1701(b)(12)”.

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