117TH CONGRESS 2D Session



To reauthorize the program for infant and early childhood mental health promotion, intervention, and treatment.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. KAINE (for himself and Ms. COLLINS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on ______

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 "Investing in Infant5 and Early Childhood Mental Health Act".

6 SEC. 2. INFANT AND EARLY CHILDHOOD MENTAL HEALTH
7 PROMOTION, INTERVENTION, AND TREAT8 MENT.

9 Section 399Z–2 of the Public Health Service Act (42
10 U.S.C. 280h–6) is amended—

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(1) by redesignating subsection (f) as sub section (g);

3 (2) by inserting after subsection (e) the fol-4 lowing:

5 "(f) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.—The Secretary may,
6 directly or by awarding grants or contracts to public and
7 private nonprofit entities, provide training and technical
8 assistance to eligible entities described in (d)."; and

9 (3) in subsection (g), as so redesignated, by
10 striking "\$20,000,000 for the period of fiscal years
11 2018 through 2022" and inserting "\$50,000,000 for
12 the period of fiscal years 2023 through 2027".