

111TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 4286

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 11, 2009

Mr. COHEN (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. PAYNE) 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 “Restorative Justice in  
5 Schools Act of 2009”.

1 **SEC. 2. RESTORATIVE JUSTICE TRAINING.**

2 Section 2123(a)(3)(B) of the Elementary and Sec-  
3 ondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6623(a)(3)(B))  
4 is amended—

5 (1) in clause (iv), by striking “and” at the end;

6 (2) in clause (v), by striking the period at the  
7 end and inserting “; and”; and

8 (3) by adding at the end the following:

9 “(vi) provide training about restora-  
10 tive justice and conflict resolution.”.

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