

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1281

To update the blood donation public awareness campaign of the Department of Health and Human Services to include public awareness on plasma donation.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 21, 2021

Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. WICKER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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 “Plasma Donation
5 Awareness Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. IMPORTANCE OF THE BLOOD AND PLASMA SUPPLY.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3226 of the CARES Act
8 (Public Law 116–136) is amended—

1 (1) in the section heading, by inserting “**AND**
2 **PLASMA**” after “**BLOOD**”; and

3 (2) by inserting “and plasma” after “blood”
4 each time such term appears.

5 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The item relating
6 to section 3226 in the table of contents in section 2 of
7 the CARES Act (Public Law 116–136) is amended to read
8 as follows:

“Sec. 3226. Importance of the blood and plasma supply.”.

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