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# S. 2988

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 18, 2021

Mr. LEE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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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 “Parental Consent for  
5 Vaccination Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. INFORMED PARENTAL CONSENT FOR COVID-19**  
2 **VACCINATION.**

3 (a) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term “Execu-  
4 tive agency” has the meaning given the term in section  
5 105 of title 5, United States Code.

6 (b) REQUIREMENT.—Any COVID-19 vaccine man-  
7 date issued by an Act of Congress or by an Executive  
8 agency shall require the written and informed consent of  
9 a legal guardian for the administration of a COVID-19  
10 vaccine to an individual under the age of 18 years old.

11 (c) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-  
12 tion shall be construed to allow for or otherwise authorize  
13 a COVID-19 vaccine mandate issued by an Act of Con-  
14 gress or by an Executive agency.

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