

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-31
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Page 829, after line 23 insert the following:

1 SEC. 20419. HIGH-QUALITY MASKS FOR CHILDREN.

2 (a) INCLUSION IN STOCKPILE.—Section 319F–
3 2(a)(1) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247d–
4 6b(a)(1)) is amended by inserting after “shall maintain
5 a stockpile or stockpiles of drugs, vaccines and other bio-
6 logical products, medical devices, and other supplies (in-
7 cluding personal protective equipment” the following:
8 “(which may include high-quality pediatric masks, a per-
9 centage of which may be small adult masks for pediatric
10 use)”.

11 (b) GUIDANCE FOR PEDIATRIC MASKS.—The Sec-
12 retary of Health and Human Services, in consultation with
13 the Director of the National Institute for Occupational
14 Safety and Health, pediatricians, child health care pro-
15 vider organizations, manufacturers, and other relevant
16 stakeholders, shall—

17 (1) develop guidelines for the use of respirators,
18 barrier face coverings, or masks for use in pediatric
19 populations, which may be made available through

1 the Strategic National Stockpile under section
2 319F-2 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C.
3 247d-6b) for public health emergencies declared
4 under section 319 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 247d);
5 and

6 (2) not later than 180 days after the date of
7 enactment of this Act, submit to the Committee on
8 Energy and Commerce of the House of Representa-
9 tives and the Committee on Health, Education,
10 Labor and Pensions of the Senate a report on pedi-
11 atric masks that includes the guidelines developed
12 under paragraph (1).

