

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# S. 529

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 9 (legislative day, MARCH 3), 1993

Mr. DECONCINI (for himself and Mr. LEAHY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. TREATMENT OF CHILDREN OF NARCOTICS AD-**  
2 **ICTS OR ALCOHOLICS PARTICIPATING IN**  
3 **DRUG OR ALCOHOLIC TREATMENT PRO-**  
4 **GRAMS.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The last sentence of section 3(i)  
6 of the Food Stamp Act of 1977 (7 U.S.C. 2012(i)) is  
7 amended by inserting after “narcotics addicts or alcohol-  
8 ics” the following: “, together with their children,”.

9 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 3(g)(5) of  
10 such Act (7 U.S.C. 2012(g)(5)) is amended by inserting  
11 after “or alcoholics” the following: “, and their children,”.

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