

116TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. _____

To require the Secretary of Transportation to conduct research on the incidence and severity of underride accidents involving single-unit trucks, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

_____ introduced the following bill; which was read twice
and referred to the Committee on _____

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. RESEARCH REGARDING THE NEED FOR**
4 **UNDERRIDE GUARDS ON SINGLE-UNIT**
5 **TRUCKS BASED ON THE HEIGHT OF THE UN-**
6 **DERCARRIAGE.**

7 **【Not later than _____,】** the Secretary of
8 Transportation shall—

1 (1) conduct research on the incidence and se-
2 verity of underride accidents involving—

3 (A) a single-unit truck with an under-
4 carriage height of more than 22 inches; and

5 (B) a single-unit truck with an under-
6 carriage height of not more than 22 inches; and

7 (2) **■**submit to Congress a report containing
8 legislative recommendations**■** regarding any need for
9 underride guards on single-unit trucks based on the
10 height of the undercarriage of the single-unit truck.