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# H. R. 285

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## AN ACT

To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a penalty for knowingly selling advertising that offers certain commercial sex acts.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Stop Advertising Vic-  
3 tims of Exploitation Act of 2015” or the “SAVE Act of  
4 2015”.

5 **SEC. 2. ADVERTISING THAT OFFERS CERTAIN COMMERCIAL SEX ACTS.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1591 of title 18, United  
8 States Code, is amended in subsection (a)(1), by inserting  
9 after “obtains,” the following: “advertises,”.

10 (b) MENS REA REQUIREMENT.—Section 1591 of title  
11 18, United States Code, is amended in subsection (a), by  
12 inserting after “knowing, or” the following: “, except  
13 where, in an offense under paragraph (2), the act consti-  
14 tuting the violation of paragraph (1) is advertising,”.

15 (c) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section 1591(b)  
16 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

17 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “or obtained”  
18 and inserting “obtained, or advertised”; and

19 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “or obtained”  
20 and inserting “obtained, or advertised”.

Passed the House of Representatives January 27,  
2015.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,

*Clerk.*