

HR 5540

To encourage respect for the rights of religious and ethnic minorities in Iran and to deter Iran from supporting international terrorism and from furthering its weapons of mass destruction programs.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-24]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 2, 2002
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 2, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 2, 2002)

Prohibits the entry or importation into the United States of any textile or food article produced, grown, or manufactured in Iran.

Authorizes the President to waive such prohibition ten days after certifying to specified congressional committees that Iran: (1) has shown substantial progress in respecting the rights of ethnic and religious minorities and is meeting internationally recognized human rights standards, including due process under law; (2) has ceased its support for international terrorism; and (3) has terminated its weapons of mass destruction programs.

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