

HR 655

Commission to Study the Culture of Violence in America Act

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2001)

Commission to Study the Culture of Violence in America Act - Establishes the Commission to Study the Culture of Violence in America to examine the: (1) glorification of violence in the United States; (2) relationship between psychological stress and increased violence; (3) media's role in the violent atmosphere; (4) correlation between ease of access to firearms and increased violence; and (5) role of the school system in identifying potential perpetrators of violence. Directs the Commission to recommend potential solutions to the problems of glorification of violence in the United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 2, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime.
- **Feb 14, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **Feb 14, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.