

HR 1286

To prohibit the commercial harvesting of Atlantic striped bass in the coastal waters and the exclusive economic zone.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Mar 13, 2003

**Current Status:** Executive Comment Requested from Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Executive Comment Requested from Commerce. (Mar 20, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/1286>

Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Allen, Thomas H. [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 2, 2003
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Oct 28, 2003
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jul 12, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 20, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 13, 2003)

Prohibits the commercial harvesting of Atlantic striped bass in the coastal waters or Exclusive Economic Zone. Imposes penalties and allows civil forfeiture of vessels for violations.

Requires the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Director to take actions reflecting the prohibition.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 20, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- **Mar 20, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from Commerce.
- **Mar 13, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Mar 13, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E460)
- **Mar 13, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.