

HR 1706

Cybermolesters Enforcement Act of 2003

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (May 5, 2003)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2003
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 10, 2003
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 9, 2003)

Cybermolesters Enforcement Act of 2003 - Amends the Federal criminal code to provide for a five-year mandatory minimum sentence for: (1) transportation of a person under age 18 with intent to engage in criminal sexual activity; and (2) travel with intent to engage in a sexual act with a person under age 18.

Authorizes the interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications in the investigation of crimes involving: (1) sex trafficking of children by force, fraud, or coercion; and (2) selling or buying of children, child pornography, child obscenity, production of sexually explicit depictions of a minor for importation into the United States, and transportation for illegal sexual activity and related crimes.

Includes child pornography within the definition of "contraband" the transport, concealment, or possession of which is prohibited.

Actions Timeline

- **May 5, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Apr 10, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E725)
- **Apr 10, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Apr 10, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Apr 10, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways, Transit and Pipelines.
- **Apr 9, 2003:** Introduced in House
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