

HR 1839

Youth Smoking Prevention and State Revenue Enforcement Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Youth Smoking Prevention and State Revenue Enforcement Act - Amends the Jenkins Act to require each person who engages in an interstate sale or distribution of cigarettes to comply with all the sales and use tax and other laws applicable to cigarette distribution or sale in the State and place in which the cigarettes are delivered.

Authorizes a State Attorney General to bring a civil action to obtain any appropriate relief, including money damages, for a violation of such Act. Eliminates the \$1,000 criminal penalty limitation.

Includes within the definitions of: (1) "cigarette" loose rolling tobacco; (2) "person" Indian tribal organizations or tribal governments; (3) "State" U.S. territories or possessions; and (4) "interstate sale or distribution of cigarettes" sales outside Indian lands where the order was processed.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2003:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 29, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 29, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 29, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Apr 29, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property.