

## HR 2421

To ensure that State and local law enforcement agencies execute warrants for the arrest of nonviolent offenders only during daylight hours and when children are not present, unless overriding circumstances exist.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jun 11, 2003

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Jun 25, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/2421>

### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 25, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jun 11, 2003)

Requires a State or local law enforcement agency, upon accepting Federal funds, to issue guidelines under which: (1) each warrant for the arrest of a nonviolent offender is executed by that agency only during daylight hours at a location where the agency reasonably believes children are not dwelling or in other circumstances if a court determines that overriding reasons, in furtherance of the interests of children, exist (such as the interest in apprehending individuals who engage in drug offenses with children or on school grounds); and (2) relevant counseling is made available to each child who witnesses the execution of an arrest warrant under such circumstances.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jun 11, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 11, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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