

HR 3847

End Racial Profiling Act of 2004

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Feb 26, 2004
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Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4]	D · AZ		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Pelosi, Nancy [D-CA-8]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
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Rep. Rodriguez, Ciro D. [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Feb 26, 2004

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Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
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Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Sandlin, Max [D-TX-1]	D · TX		Feb 26, 2004
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Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Walsh, James T. [R-NY-25]	R · NY		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Feb 26, 2004
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Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D · WV		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Mar 11, 2004
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Mar 24, 2004
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Mar 24, 2004
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]	D · NY		Apr 1, 2004
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-10]	D · TX		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Miller, Brad [D-NC-13]	D · NC		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Jun 14, 2004
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jun 17, 2004
Rep. Meek, Kendrick B. [D-FL-17]	D · FL		Jul 13, 2004
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Sep 30, 2004

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Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Nov 16, 2004
Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Dec 7, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 2, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 2132	Identical bill	Feb 26, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1688-1690)

Summary (as of Feb 26, 2004)

End Racial Profiling Act of 2004 - Prohibits any law enforcement agent or agency from engaging in racial profiling. Authorizes the United States or an individual injured by racial profiling to bring a civil action for declaratory or injunctive relief in State court or U.S. district court. Makes proof that the routine or spontaneous investigatory activities of law enforcement agents in a jurisdiction have had a disparate impact on racial, ethnic, or religious minorities prima facie evidence of a violation. Authorizes the court to allow a prevailing plaintiff attorney's fees under specified circumstances.

Directs Federal law enforcement agencies to: (1) cease practices that encourage racial profiling; and (2) maintain policies and procedures to eliminate racial profiling, including the collection of data on routine investigatory activities, procedures for responding meaningfully to complaints alleging racial profiling, and procedures to discipline agents who engage in racial profiling.

Requires that an application by a State, local , or Indian tribal government for funding under the Byrne, Cops on the Beat, or Local Law Enforcement Block Grant program include a certification that such government: (1) maintains adequate policies and procedures designed to eliminate racial profiling; and (2) has ceased any practices that encourage racial profiling.

Authorizes the Attorney General to make grants to States and specified entities to develop and implement best practice devices and systems to ensure the racially neutral administration of justice.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 2, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Feb 26, 2004:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 26, 2004:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 26, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E249)
- **Feb 26, 2004:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.