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# S 1226

Federal Contractor Extraterritorial Jurisdiction for Human Trafficking Offenses Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Jun 13, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6410)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6410)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]

Party: Democratic • State: HI • Chamber: Senate

## Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 13, 2005

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## **Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

## **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

## **Summary** (as of Jun 13, 2005)

Federal Contractor Extraterritorial Jurisdiction for Human Trafficking Offenses Act of 2005 - Amends the federal criminal code to require a federal contractor who engages, outside the United States, in conduct that would constitute a peonage, slavery, or human trafficking offense punishable by imprisonment for more than one year if it occurred in U.S. jurisdiction to be punished as provided for that offense.

Prohibits the commencement of a prosecution against any such contractor if a foreign government has prosecuted or is prosecuting such person for the offense, except upon specified approval. Permits an individual who is a victim of such a violation by a federal contractor to bring a civil action if a civil action would have been authorized had the conduct been engaged in within U.S. jurisdiction.

Actions Timeline
<ul> <li>Jun 13, 2005: Introduced in Senate</li> <li>Jun 13, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6409)</li> <li>Jun 13, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6410)</li> </ul>