

HR 4639

Group Home Community Notification Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

Introduced: Dec 18, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity. (Jan 20, 2006)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Financial Services Committee | House | Referred to | Jan 20, 2006 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 18, 2005)

Group Home Community Notification Act of 2005 - Makes it unlawful for any federally assisted non-profit intending to place a group home in a locality to refuse or fail to comply with all state and local laws for such a group home's placement in that locality, including laws requiring public notification, reporting requirements, and hearings.

States that any individual who participates in such a hearing shall be immune from suit based on a claim of discrimination against the disabled for any communication made in the course of such participation.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 20, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity.
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