

HR 5216

Preservation of Records of Servitude, Emancipation, and Post-Civil War Reconstruction Act of 2006

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Markup By | Jun 8, 2006 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| 109 HR 2891 | Related bill | Jun 14, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform. |
| 109 S 1248 | Related bill | Jun 14, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6494) |

Summary (as of Apr 27, 2006)

Preservation of Records of Servitude, Emancipation, and Post-Civil War Reconstruction Act of 2006 - Requires the Archivist of the United States to: (1) establish, as part of the National Archives, an electronically searchable database of historic records of servitude, emancipation, and post-Civil War reconstruction contained within federal agencies for genealogical and historical research; and (2) preserve relevant records.

Requires the National Historical Publications and Records Commission to provide grants to states, colleges and universities, and genealogical associations to preserve records and establish databases of local records of such information.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 8, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 8, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 27, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **Apr 27, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E653-654)
- **Apr 27, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.