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HR 552

Right to Life Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Feb 2, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Mar 2, 2005) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/552

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hunter, Duncan [R-CA-52]

Party: Republican • State: CA • Chamber: House

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Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Feb 2, 2005
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Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-2]	$R \cdot AZ$		Feb 2, 2005
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Rep. Hostettler, John N. [R-IN-8]	$R \cdot IN$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Johnson, Timothy V. [R-IL-15]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	$R \cdot NC$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-5]	$R \cdot IA$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	$R \cdot GA$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. LaHood, Ray [R-IL-18]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Lewis, Ron [R-KY-2]	$R \cdot KY$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	$R \cdot MI$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Miller, Gary G. [R-CA-42]	$R \cdot CA$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	$R \cdot NC$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	$R \cdot TX$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Ney, Robert W. [R-OH-18]	$R \cdot OH$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	$R \cdot NM$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	$R \cdot PA$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Renzi, Rick [R-AZ-1]	$R \cdot AZ$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Ryun, Jim [R-KS-2]	$R \cdot KS$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	$R \cdot NJ$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	$R \cdot IN$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Tancredo, Thomas G. [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Tiahrt, Todd [R-KS-4]	$R \cdot KS$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Wamp, Zach [R-TN-3]	$R \cdot TN$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Whitfield, Ed [R-KY-1]	$R \cdot KY$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS-1]	$R \cdot MS$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	$R \cdot SC$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Hall, Ralph M. [R-TX-4]	$R \cdot TX$		Mar 3, 2005
Rep. Hyde, Henry J. [R-IL-6]	$R \cdot IL$		Mar 3, 2005
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	$R \cdot MN$		Mar 3, 2005
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	$R \cdot FL$		Mar 3, 2005
Rep. Musgrave, Marilyn N. [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Mar 3, 2005

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Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Mar 9, 2005
Rep. Petri, Thomas E. [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Mar 9, 2005
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Manzullo, Donald A. [R-IL-16]	R·IL		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Pence, Mike [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Inglis, Bob [R-SC-4]	R · SC		May 19, 2005
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	R·TX		Jul 18, 2005
Rep. Davis, Geoff [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Jul 20, 2005
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Jul 20, 2005
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R·TX		Jul 20, 2005
Rep. Feeney, Tom [R-FL-24]	R·FL		Jul 22, 2005
Rep. Norwood, Charles W. [R-GA-9]	R · GA		Jul 22, 2005
Rep. Taylor, Charles H. [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Jul 22, 2005
Rep. Beauprez, Bob [R-CO-7]	R · CO		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	$R \cdot TX$		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	$R \cdot GA$		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. Rogers, Mike J. [R-MI-8]	$R \cdot MI$		Jul 28, 2005
Rep. Hayes, Robin [R-NC-8]	$R \cdot NC$		Sep 7, 2005
Rep. Mica, John L. [R-FL-7]	$R \cdot FL$		Sep 7, 2005
Rep. Westmoreland, Lynn A. [R-GA-8]	$R \cdot GA$		Sep 7, 2005
Rep. Hart, Melissa A. [R-PA-4]	$R \cdot PA$		Sep 8, 2005
Rep. Herger, Wally [R-CA-2]	$R \cdot CA$		Sep 13, 2005
Rep. Miller, Candice S. [R-MI-10]	$R \cdot MI$		Sep 13, 2005
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	$R \cdot TX$		Sep 15, 2005
Rep. Boozman, John [R-AR-3]	$R \cdot AR$		Sep 28, 2005
Rep. Peterson, John E. [R-PA-5]	$R \cdot PA$		Sep 28, 2005
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	$R \cdot TX$		Oct 7, 2005
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	$R \cdot IN$		Oct 18, 2005
Rep. Davis, Lincoln [D-TN-4]	D · TN		Nov 1, 2005
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	$R \cdot TX$		Nov 9, 2005
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	$R \cdot AL$		Dec 6, 2005
Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	$R \cdot OK$		Dec 6, 2005
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	$R \cdot PA$		Dec 16, 2005
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8]	$R \cdot PA$		Jan 31, 2006
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	$R \cdot UT$		Feb 8, 2006
Rep. Ryan, Paul [R-WI-1]	R · WI		Feb 8, 2006
Rep. Schmidt, Jean [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Feb 16, 2006
Rep. Alexander, Rodney [R-LA-5]	$R \cdot LA$		Feb 28, 2006
Rep. Jenkins, William L. [R-TN-1]	R·TN		Feb 28, 2006
Rep. McMorris, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Mar 2, 2006
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-4]	R·IA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Rogers, Harold [R-KY-5]	$R \cdot KY$		Mar 7, 2006

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Rep. Cannon, Chris [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Pickering, Charles W. "Chip" [R-MS-3]	$R \cdot MS$		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Shadegg, John B. [R-AZ-3]	$R \cdot AZ$		Mar 16, 2006
Rep. Bilirakis, Michael [R-FL-9]	$R \cdot FL$		Mar 29, 2006
Rep. Weller, Jerry [R-IL-11]	$R \cdot IL$		Mar 29, 2006
Rep. Hayworth, J. D. [R-AZ-5]	$R \cdot AZ$		Apr 6, 2006
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-7]	$R \cdot LA$		Apr 25, 2006
Rep. Cubin, Barbara [R-WY-At Large]	$R \cdot WY$		Apr 25, 2006
Rep. Sodrel, Michael E. [R-IN-9]	$R \cdot IN$		May 2, 2006
Rep. Forbes, J. Randy [R-VA-4]	$R \cdot VA$		May 4, 2006
Rep. McKeon, Howard P. "Buck" [R-CA-25]	$R \cdot CA$		May 11, 2006
Rep. Jindal, Bobby [R-LA-1]	$R \cdot LA$		Jun 8, 2006
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	$R \cdot VA$		Jul 10, 2006
Rep. Nussle, Jim [R-IA-1]	$R \cdot IA$		Jul 10, 2006
Rep. Kennedy, Mark R. [R-MN-6]	$R \cdot MN$		Jul 20, 2006
Rep. Knollenberg, Joe [R-MI-9]	$R \cdot MI$		Jul 26, 2006
Rep. Keller, Ric [R-FL-8]	$R \cdot FL$		Sep 6, 2006
Rep. Chocola, Chris [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Sep 14, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 3, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 2, 2005)

Right to Life Act - Declares that the right to life guaranteed by the Constitution is vested in each human being. Defines "human being" (and "human person") to encompass all stages of life, including but not limited to the moment of fertilization or cloning.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 2, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- Feb 2, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Feb 2, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E144)
- Feb 2, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.