

# HR 5767

Sex Offender Visa Loophole Elimination Act of 2006

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

**Policy Area:** Immigration **Introduced:** Jul 12, 2006

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Jul 12, 2006) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/5767

## **Sponsor**

Name: Rep. Kennedy, Mark R. [R-MN-6]

Party: Republican • State: MN • Chamber: House

## Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. Davis, Lincoln [D-TN-4]	$D\cdotTN$		Jul 12, 2006
Rep. Hostettler, John N. [R-IN-8]	$R \cdot IN$		Jul 12, 2006
Rep. Lungren, Daniel E. [R-CA-3]	$R \cdot CA$		Jul 12, 2006
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	$R \cdot TX$		Jul 13, 2006
Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6]	$D \cdot KY$		Jul 13, 2006
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	$D \cdot NY$		Jul 13, 2006
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	$R \cdot TX$		Jul 13, 2006
Rep. Tancredo, Thomas G. [R-CO-6]	$R \cdot CO$		Jul 13, 2006
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	$R \cdot TN$		Jul 25, 2006
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-5]	$R \cdot IA$		Jul 25, 2006
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	$R \cdot MN$		Jul 25, 2006
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	$R \cdot MI$		Jul 25, 2006
Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	$R \cdot NC$		Jul 25, 2006
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-3]	$R \cdot PA$		Sep 6, 2006

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 12, 2006

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## **Policy Area:**

Immigration

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Jul 12, 2006)

Sex Offender Visa Loophole Elimination Act of 2006 - Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to prohibit a convicted U.S.-citizen sex offender from filing a family-based immigration petition.

Defines "sex offense" and "specified offense against a minor."

Prohibits approval of a fiance/fiancee or waiting nonimmigrant spouse visa petition filed by a convicted sex offender.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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