

## S 884

### Methamphetamine and Identity Theft Study Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Apr 21, 2005

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Apr 21, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/884>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** Senate

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| Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA] | D · CA        |      | May 23, 2005 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Judiciary Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Apr 21, 2005 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action  |
|-------------|----------------|--|
| 109 HR 3325 | Identical bill | <b>Jul 18, 2005:</b> Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. |

### Summary (as of Apr 21, 2005)

Methamphetamine and Identity Theft Study Act of 2005 - Directs the Attorney General to conduct a study evaluating whether there is a connection between the commission of crimes involving methamphetamine and the commission of identity theft crimes. Requires such study to include a statistical analysis of any correlation and to evaluate: (1) imposing a sentencing enhancement if a person commits both; (2) establishing a password-protected electronic clearinghouse within the Department of Justice for Federal, State, and local law enforcement agencies to share information on crimes involving both; and (3) whether individuals who use methamphetamine are more likely to commit certain kinds of identity theft crimes, such as through the use of mail, than are others who commit identity theft crimes.

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 21, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
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