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Jetseta Gage Prevention and Deterrence of Crimes Against Children Act of 2005

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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**Current Status:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8021)

**Latest Action:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8021) (Jul 20, 2006)

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Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]  
**Party:** Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Kyl, Jon [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Apr 28, 2005
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		May 16, 2005
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		May 16, 2005
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jun 22, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 28, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 2318	Related bill	<b>Jun 7, 2005:</b> Subcommittee Hearings Held.
109 HR 2388	Related bill	<b>Jun 7, 2005:</b> Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Jetseta Gage Prevention and Deterrence of Crimes Against Children Act of 2005 - Rewrites provisions of the federal criminal code regarding penalties for crimes against children to require a person convicted of a federal crime of violence against an individual under age 15 to be sentenced to: (1) death or life imprisonment if the crime results in the death of the victim; (2) life or at least 30 years imprisonment if the crime is a kidnaping, sexual assault, or maiming or results in serious bodily injury; (3) life or at least 14 years imprisonment if the crime results in bodily injury to a person under age 12; (4) life or at least ten years imprisonment if a dangerous weapon was used during and in relation to the crime; and (5) life or at least two years imprisonment in any other case.

Increases penalties for sexual abuse of children, sexual exploitation and other abuse of children, and conduct relating to child prostitution.

Christy Ann Fornoff Act - Denies a court, justice, or judge jurisdiction to consider claims relating to the judgment or sentence in an application for writ of habeas corpus on behalf of a person in custody pursuant to the judgment of a state court for a crime that involved the killing of a person under age 18. Sets timetables for proceedings. Extends certain rights associated with habeas corpus proceedings to victims of the state offense at issue. Makes this Act applicable to pending cases.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 20, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8021)
- **Apr 28, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 28, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4569-4570)
- **Apr 28, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4570-4571)