

# HR 2489

Genocide Accountability Act of 2007 Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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# **Committee Activity**

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Judiciary Committee | House   | Reported by | Nov 1, 2007 |

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

#### **Related Bills**

| Bill      | Relationship   | Last Action                                  |
|-----------|----------------|--|
| 110 S 888 | Identical bill | Dec 21, 2007: Became Public Law No: 110-151. |

#### (This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Genocide Accountability Act of 2007 - Amends the federal criminal code allow the prosecution of acts constituting genocide committed by an alleged offender who is: (1) an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States; (2) a stateless person whose habitual residence is in the United States; or (3) brought into, or found in, the United States, even if the offense occurred outside the United States.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Dec 4, 2007: Reported by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 110-468.
- Dec 4, 2007: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 292.
- Nov 7, 2007: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Nov 7, 2007: Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- Nov 1, 2007: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Nov 1, 2007: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- Jun 25, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- May 24, 2007: Introduced in House
- May 24, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.