

## HR 2964

Captive Primate Safety Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Animals

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported by	Jun 4, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 6505	Related bill	<b>Jul 18, 2008:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Oceans.
110 HR 4933	Text similarities	<b>Apr 1, 2008:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
110 S 1498	Related bill	<b>Oct 29, 2007:</b> Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 455.

Captive Primate Safety Act - Amends the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 to add nonhuman primates (i.e., monkeys, great apes, lemurs, etc.) to the definition of "prohibited wildlife species" for purposes of the prohibition against the sale or purchase of such species in interstate or foreign commerce.

Makes it unlawful for a person to sell or purchase a live animal of any prohibited wildlife species in interstate or foreign commerce (i.e., for pet trade purposes). Sets forth: (1) exceptions to such prohibition; and (2) civil and criminal penalties for violations of the requirements of this Act.

Requires the Secretary of the Interior, in consultation with other relevant federal and state agencies, to issue regulations to implement the Captive Wildlife Safety Act.

Authorizes additional appropriations to the Secretary for FY2009 to hire additional law enforcement personnel of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to enforce the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981.

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### **Actions Timeline**

- **Aug 1, 2008:** Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 928.
- **Jun 19, 2008:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 110-712.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 453.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Ms. Bordallo moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5417-5421)
- **Jun 17, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2964.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5457)
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 302 - 96 (Roll no. 414).(text: CR H5417-5418)
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- **Jun 17, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 11, 2008:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 11, 2008:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **Mar 11, 2008:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jul 16, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Oceans.
- **Jul 10, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 10, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.