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# S 3166

A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to impose criminal penalties on individuals who assist aliens who have engaged in genocide, torture, or extrajudicial killings to enter the United States.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Immigration
Introduced: Jun 19, 2008

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Sep 26, 2008) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/senate-bill/3166

## **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]

Party: Republican • State: AL • Chamber: Senate

#### **Cosponsors** (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	$R \cdot OK$		Jun 19, 2008
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Jun 19, 2008
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D·IL		Jun 19, 2008
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		Jun 25, 2008
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 31, 2008

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 12, 2008
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 26, 2008

### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

Immigration

# **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Sep 26, 2008)

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

Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to impose criminal penalties on an individual who assists an alien to enter the United States who has engaged in Nazi persecution or participated in genocide, torture, or extrajudicial killings.

### **Actions Timeline**

- Sep 26, 2008: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S9606; text as passed Senate: CR S9606)
- Sep 26, 2008: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S9606; text as passed Senate: CR S9606)
- Sep 26, 2008: Received in the House.
- Sep 26, 2008: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Sep 26, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- Sep 12, 2008: Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Leahy without amendment. Without written report.
- Sep 12, 2008: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 960.
- Sep 11, 2008: Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- Jun 19, 2008: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 19, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.