

## HR 3713

To ensure that the courts of the United States may provide an impartial forum for claims brought by United States citizens and others against any railroad organized as a separate legal entity, arising from the deportation of United States citizens and others to Nazi concentration camps on trains owned or operated by such railroad, and by the heirs and survivors of such persons.

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 14, 2008
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### Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3462	Related bill	Sep 10, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Grants U.S. district courts original jurisdiction over any civil action for damages for personal injury or death that: (1) arose from the deportation of persons to Nazi concentration camps between January 1, 1942, and December 31, 1944; and (2) is brought by or on behalf of such person against a railroad that owned or operated the trains on which the persons were deported and that was organized as a separate legal entity.

Provides that: (1) no law limiting the jurisdiction of the U.S. courts shall preclude any such action; and (2) no such action shall be barred because a statute of limitations has expired. Makes this Act applicable to any action pending on or commenced after January 1, 2002.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 14, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property.
- **Jan 14, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law.
- **Oct 1, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 1, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.