

HR 4842

To provide for only prospective effect of certain amendments to the Federal Sentencing Guidelines relating to cocaine base sentencing.

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 19, 2007)

Provides that an amendment to the sentencing guidelines promulgated by the U.S. Sentencing Commission with respect to crack cocaine offenses shall apply only to cases pending on and after the effective date of such amendment (i.e., November 1, 2007).

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 14, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Dec 19, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 19, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.