

HR 5677

To amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to prohibit the importation into the United States of plastinated human remains.

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Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 16, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 2, 2008)

Amends the Tariff Act of 1930 to make it unlawful for a person to import plastinated human remains into the United States. Imposes civil penalties, including forfeiture of the remains, for violation of such prohibition. Requires enforcement by the Secretary of Homeland Security.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 16, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
- **Apr 2, 2008:** Introduced in House
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