

## HRES 572

Encouraging employers and online dating sites to use sex offender registries for background checks.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2007

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jul 25, 2007)

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Encourages: (1) employers to check the names of potential employees with federal and state sex offender registries when hiring for positions involving children; (2) online dating sites to check the names of site members and those seeking site membership with federal and state sex offender registries and adopt appropriate safeguards; and (3) all states and jurisdictions to expeditiously implement sex offender registration requirements enacted by the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 10, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jul 25, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 25, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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