

## HR 227

Sanctity of Human Life Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Jan 7, 2009)

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Rep. Schock, Aaron [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Jan 7, 2009

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 7, 2009

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 7, 2009)

Sanctity of Human Life Act - Declares that: (1) the right to life guaranteed by the Constitution is vested in each human and is the person's paramount and most fundamental right; (2) each human life begins with fertilization, cloning, or its functional equivalent, at which time every human has all legal and constitutional attributes and privileges of personhood; and (3) Congress, each state, the District of Columbia, and all U.S. territories have the authority to protect all human lives.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jan 7, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H66)
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.