

HR 3360

Cruise Vessel Security and Safety Act of 2010

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security Committee	House	Bills of Interest - Exchange of Letters	Sep 22, 2010
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Jul 30, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 3619	Related bill	Oct 15, 2010: Became Public Law No: 111-281.
111 HCONRES 289	Related bill	Jul 13, 2010: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
111 S 588	Related bill	Sep 8, 2009: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 156.
111 HR 1485	Related bill	Mar 13, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the Senate on June 10, 2010. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Cruise Vessel Security and Safety Act of 2010 - (Sec. 3) Delineates passenger vessel security and safety requirements concerning: (1) vessel design, equipment, construction, and retrofitting; (2) video surveillance to monitor crime; (3) access to security guide; (4) posting of U.S. embassy locations; (5) maintenance of equipment, medications, and medical personnel for sexual assaults on board; (6) confidentiality of sexual assault information; (7) restrictions on crew access to passenger staterooms; and (8) log book entry and reporting of deaths, missing individuals, thefts, and other crimes.

Prescribes civil and criminal penalties for persons who willfully violate such requirements.

Directs the Secretary of the department in which the Coast Guard is operating to develop minimum training standards for the certification of passenger vessel security personnel, crew members, and law enforcement officials on methods for the prevention, detection, evidence preservation, and reporting of criminal activities in the international maritime environment.

Prohibits a vessel carrying U.S. citizens from entering a U.S. port unless there is at least one crew member on board who has met such training and certification requirements. Subjects persons who violate such requirements to certain civil penalties.

(Sec. 4) Repeals certain maritime reporting requirements.

Requires the Secretary of the department in which the Coast Guard (CG) is operating to combine into a single annual report for FY2010 and thereafter the separate reports of the CG concerning: (1) its annual fisheries enforcement plans; and (2) steps it will take to improve significantly the detection and interdiction of illegal incursions by foreign fishing vessels into the U.S. exclusive economic zone.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2010:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 27, 2010:** Became Public Law No: 111-207.
- **Jul 19, 2010:** Presented to President.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Mr. Cummings moved that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment. (consideration: CR H5262-5267)
- **Jun 30, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3360.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Resolving differences -- House actions: On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote.(text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR H5262-5265)
- **Jun 30, 2010:** On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote. (text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR H5262-5265)
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Cleared for White House.
- **Jun 11, 2010:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jun 10, 2010:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S4865-4866)
- **Jun 10, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jun 10, 2010:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Nov 18, 2009:** Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 211.
- **Nov 17, 2009:** Mr. Cummings moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Nov 17, 2009:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H13020-13026)
- **Nov 17, 2009:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3360.
- **Nov 17, 2009:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Nov 17, 2009:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H13033)
- **Nov 17, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 416 - 4 (Roll no. 892).(text: CR H13020-13023)
- **Nov 17, 2009:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 416 - 4 (Roll no. 892). (text: CR H13020-13023)
- **Nov 17, 2009:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 7, 2009:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation. H. Rept. 111-332.
- **Nov 7, 2009:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 190.
- **Jul 30, 2009:** Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation Discharged.
- **Jul 30, 2009:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 30, 2009:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 29, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Jul 28, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 28, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.