

HR 5304

Byrne/JAG Program Accountability Act

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Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 13, 2010)

Byrne/JAG Program Accountability Act - Amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to require states and local governments receiving grants under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program to implement policy, practice, and system improvement strategies to identify and reduce racial and ethnic disparities among individuals who come into contact with or are under the supervision of the criminal justice system, without establishing or requiring numerical standards or quotas.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 15, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **May 13, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **May 13, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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