

HR 2270

To amend section 1605A of title 28, United States Code, to provide that the statute of limitations must be raised as an affirmative defense.

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Policy Area: Law

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 25, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 22, 2011)

Amends the federal judicial code to provide that the statute of limitations applicable for commencing actions by certain terrorism victims against foreign states (and employees of such states) designated as state sponsors of terrorism is an affirmative defense that is waived by such foreign state or employee if not timely raised in a responsive pleading.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 25, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Commercial and Administrative Law.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.