

## HR 386

### Securing Aircraft Cockpits Against Lasers Act of 2011

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jan 20, 2011

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 1, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/386>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lungren, Daniel E. [R-CA-3]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Gallegly, Elton [R-CA-24]	R · CA		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Jan 20, 2011
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jan 25, 2011
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Jan 25, 2011
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Jan 25, 2011

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Discharged From	Feb 11, 2011
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged from	Jan 26, 2011
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 1, 2011

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1608	Related bill	Sep 22, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Securing Aircraft Cockpits Against Lasers Act of 2011 - Amends the federal criminal code to prohibit the aiming of the beam of a laser pointer at an aircraft or in its flight path. Imposes a fine and/or prison term of up to five years.

Exempts from such prohibition: (1) individuals conducting research and development or flight test operations for an aircraft manufacturer or the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA); (2) Department of Defense (DOD) or Department of Homeland Security (DHS) personnel conducting research, development, operations, testing or training; or (3) an individual using a laser emergency signaling device to send a distress signal.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 1, 2011:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Feb 28, 2011:** Mr. Lungren, Daniel E. moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Feb 28, 2011:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1370-1371)
- **Feb 28, 2011:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 386.
- **Feb 28, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H1370)
- **Feb 28, 2011:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H1370)
- **Feb 28, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 11, 2011:** Reported by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 112-11, Part I.
- **Feb 11, 2011:** Committee on The Budget discharged.
- **Feb 11, 2011:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 4.
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security Discharged.
- **Jan 21, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.