

HR 495

See Something, Say Something Act of 2011

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Sponsor

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Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Jan 26, 2011
Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-40]	R · CA		Jan 26, 2011
Rep. Walsh, Joe [R-IL-8]	R · IL		Jan 26, 2011
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Grimm, Michael G. [R-NY-13]	R · NY		Mar 1, 2011
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Mar 8, 2011
Rep. Nugent, Richard B. [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Apr 7, 2011
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-44]	R · CA		Jun 16, 2011
Rep. Rigell, E. Scott [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Jul 11, 2011
Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Sep 7, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3116	Related bill	Dec 21, 2012: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 520.
112 HR 963	Related bill	Sep 12, 2011: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 131.
112 S 505	Related bill	Mar 8, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Jan 26, 2011)

See Something, Say Something Act of 2011 - Amends the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to grant immunity from civil liability to persons who, in good faith and based on an objectively reasonable suspicion, report suspicious activity indicating that an individual may be engaging, or preparing to engage, in a violation of law relating to an act of terrorism.

Grants qualified immunity from civil liability to any authorized official who observes, or receives a report of, such activity and takes reasonable action in good faith to respond, consistent with applicable law in the relevant jurisdiction. Provides that an authorized official not entitled to assert the defense of qualified immunity shall nonetheless be immune from civil liability if that official takes reasonable action, in good faith, to respond to the reported activity.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.