

## HR 6496

To reauthorize grants to enhance State and local efforts to combat trafficking in persons.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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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	Nov 6, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3589	Related bill	<b>Feb 3, 2012:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, and Human Rights.
112 HR 2830	Related bill	<b>Nov 2, 2011:</b> Committee on Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe. Hearings held.

Amends the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 to authorize appropriations for FY2013-FY2017 to: (1) the Attorney General for protection and assistance for aliens who are victims of trafficking, and (2) the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) to investigate severe forms of trafficking in persons.

Amends the Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2005 to authorize appropriations for FY2013-FY2017 to the Attorney General to make grants to states and local law enforcement agencies for programs to combat trafficking in persons.

Amends federal criminal code provisions regarding transportation of a minor with intent to engage in criminal sexual activity to revise the definition of "illicit sexual conduct" to include: (1) sexual contact (currently limited to a sexual act) with a minor, and (2) production of child pornography.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 6, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Sep 21, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 21, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.