

HR 5076

Enhancing Services for Runaway and Homeless Victims of Youth Trafficking Act of 2014

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Families

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Heck, Joseph J. [R-NV-3]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Jul 11, 2014
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jul 11, 2014
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Herrera Beutler, Jaime [R-WA-3]	R · WA		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3]	R · PA		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Meehan, Patrick [R-PA-7]	R · PA		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Jul 22, 2014
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Jul 23, 2014
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jul 23, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 11, 2014
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 24, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Enhancing Services for Runaway and Homeless Victims of Youth Trafficking Act of 2014 - Amends the Runaway and Homeless Youth Act with respect to grants to states, localities, and private entities to carry out research, evaluation, demonstration, and service projects regarding activities designed to increase knowledge concerning, and to improve services for, runaway youth and homeless youth.

Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) to give priority to proposed projects relating to staff training in: (1) the behavioral and emotional effects of severe forms of trafficking in persons and sex trafficking, (2) responding to youth who are showing effects of severe forms of trafficking in persons and sex trafficking, and (3) agency-wide strategies for working with runaway and homeless youth who are victims of trafficking.

Extends the Secretary's authority to make grants to nonprofit private agencies for the purpose of providing street-based services to runaway and homeless, and street youth, who have been subjected to, or are at risk of being subjected to, sexual abuse, prostitution, or sexual exploitation. Extends the scope of such grants also to street-based services to runaway and homeless, and street youth, who have been subjected to, or are at risk of being subjected to, severe forms of trafficking in persons and sex trafficking.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 24, 2014:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Mr. Heck (NV) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6703-6704)
- **Jul 23, 2014:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5076.
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6703)
- **Jul 23, 2014:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6703)
- **Jul 23, 2014:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 11, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 11, 2014:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.