

## HR 2197

Youth PROMISE Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** May 1, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (May 1, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/2197>

### Sponsor

---

**Name:** Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** VA • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (54 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		May 1, 2015
Rep. Gowdy, Trey [R-SC-4]	R · SC		May 1, 2015
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		May 1, 2015
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Visclosky, Peter J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Jun 23, 2015
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 22, 2015
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Edwards, Donna F. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2015

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Dec 18, 2015
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Dec 18, 2015
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Dec 18, 2015
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Dec 18, 2015
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Dec 18, 2015
Rep. Ashford, Brad [D-NE-2]	D · NE		Feb 2, 2016
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2016
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Mar 22, 2016
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jul 1, 2016
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Dec 1, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5671	Related bill	Aug 30, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition.
114 S 1770	Related bill	Jul 15, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Youth Prison Reduction through Opportunities, Mentoring, Intervention, Support, and Education Act or the Youth PROMISE Act**

Amends the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to establish a PROMISE Advisory Panel to assist the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention in: (1) assessing and developing standards and evidence-based and promising practices to prevent juvenile delinquency and criminal street gang activity, and (2) collecting data in designated geographic areas to assess the needs and existing resources for juvenile delinquency and criminal street gang activity prevention and intervention.

Authorizes the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention to award grants to local governments and Indian tribes to: (1) plan and assess evidence-based and promising practices for juvenile delinquency and criminal street gang activity prevention and intervention, especially for at-risk youth; and (2) implement PROMISE plans, developed by local PROMISE Coordinating Councils (PCCs), for coordinating and supporting the delivery of juvenile delinquency and gang prevention and intervention programs in local communities and Indian tribes.

Establishes a National Research Center for Proven Juvenile Justice Practices to provide PCCs and the public with research and other information about evidence-based practices related to juvenile delinquency and criminal street gang prevention or intervention.

Directs the Office to award grants to institutions of higher education to serve as regional research partners with PCCs that are located in the same geographic region as the educational institution.

### **Actions Timeline**

---

- **May 1, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **May 1, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.