

## HR 5749

Interstate Sextortion Prevention Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jul 13, 2016

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Jul 27, 2016)

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 27, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jul 13, 2016)

#### Interstate Sextortion Prevention Act

This bill amends the federal criminal code to establish separate criminal offenses with respect to: (1) interstate coercion of sexual acts, of sexual contact, or of the production of sexually explicit visual depictions; and (2) interstate coercion or extortion involving threats to publish sexually explicit visual depictions.

The bill establishes increased penalties for such offenses that: (1) involve minors, (2) are committed by repeat offenders, or (2) result in death or serious bodily injury.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 27, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jul 13, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 13, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.