

HR 1035

Extending Justice for Sex Crime Victims Act of 2017

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Walters, Mimi [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Mar 29, 2017
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		May 1, 2017
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jun 22, 2017
Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Sep 27, 2017
Rep. LaHood, Darin [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Feb 2, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 2, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 30	Identical bill	Jan 4, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S61)

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This bill amends the federal criminal code to revise the statute of limitations for a victim of a human trafficking offense or federal sexual offense to file a civil action to recover damages.

Under current law, the statute of limitations is 10 years from the date the cause of action arose. This bill sets a 10-year statute of limitations from the date the victim discovers the offense or injury.

Additionally, it extends the statute of limitations for a minor victim of a federal sex offense to file a civil action to 10 years (currently 3 years) from the date such individual reaches age 18.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 2, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Feb 14, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 14, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.