

HR 3147

AMBER Alert in Indian Country Act of 2017

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Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Jul 24, 2017)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 24, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 772	Identical bill	Apr 13, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-166.
115 HR 2666	Identical bill	Nov 29, 2017: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.

Summary (as of Jun 29, 2017)

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This bill amends the PROTECT Act to reauthorize the AMBER Alert grant program for FY2018.

The bill also modifies the program to:

- make Indian tribes eligible for AMBER Alert grants,
- permit the use of grant funds to integrate state or regional AMBER Alert communication plans with an Indian tribe, and
- allow the waiver of the matching funds requirement for grants awarded to Indian tribes.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 24, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jun 29, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 29, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.