

## HR 5637

Protecting the Dignity of Unborn Children Act of 2018

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 22, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 718	Related bill	<b>Feb 14, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

## Summary (as of Apr 26, 2018)

### Protecting the Dignity of Unborn Children Act of 2018

This bill amends the federal criminal code to make it a crime to recklessly dispose of or abandon fetal remains in a landfill or in any navigable waters of the United States.

The term "fetal remains" means any part (except a cremated part) of a deceased human fetus following an abortion.

A violator is subject to a fine, up to three years in prison, or both.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 22, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Apr 26, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 26, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.