

HR 6026

Civil Rights Legacy Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Feb 28, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Feb 28, 2020
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Mar 2, 2020
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 2, 2020
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 4, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 28, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 28, 2020)

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This bill makes it a crime to deface, damage, or destroy certain memorials that commemorate civil rights events or figures.

An individual convicted under this act must pay restitution and is subject to additional penalties that vary based on the cost of the defacement, damage, or destruction.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2020:** Introduced in House
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