

109<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 1458

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 5, 2005

Mr. ADERHOLT introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. RECOGNITION OF NOTARIZATIONS IN FEDERAL**  
4 **COURTS.**

5 Each Federal court shall recognize any notarization  
6 made by a notary public licensed under the laws of a State  
7 other than the State where the Federal court is located

1 when such notarization occurs in or affects interstate com-  
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3 **SEC. 2. RECOGNITION OF NOTARIZATIONS IN STATE**  
4 **COURTS.**

5 Each court that operates under the jurisdiction of a  
6 State shall recognize any notarization made by a notary  
7 public licensed under the laws of a State other than the  
8 State where the court is located when such notarization  
9 occurs in or affects interstate commerce.

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