

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 3327

To amend title 18, United States Code, to protect domestic and foreign tourists and other travelers in interstate and foreign commerce.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 21, 1993

Mr. ABERCROMBIE (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. BACCHUS of Florida) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Traveler Protection  
5 Act of 1993”.

6 **SEC. 2. TITLE 18 AMENDMENT.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Part I of title 18, United States  
8 Code, is amended by inserting after chapter 89 the follow-  
9 ing:

1       **“CHAPTER 90—PROTECTION OF TRAVELERS**

“Sec.

“1831. Crimes of violence directed against travelers.

2       **“§ 1831. Crimes of violence directed against travelers**

3           “(a) Whoever engages in conduct that—

4                   “(1) is a crime of violence in the State where  
5           the conduct occurs; and

6                   “(2) is directed at a victim who is an individual  
7           not domiciled in that State;

8 shall be guilty of a like offense against the United States  
9 and subject to a like punishment in a Federal prosecution.

10          “(b) As used in this section, the term ‘State’ includes  
11 Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, and any other terri-  
12 tory or possession of the United States.”.

13          (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of chapters  
14 for part I of title 18, United States Code, is amended by  
15 inserting after the item relating to chapter 89 the follow-  
16 ing new item:

**“90. Protection of Travelers ..... 1831”.**

