

103^D CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 5170

To amend title 18, United States Code, to protect against code grabbers.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 4, 1994

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

A BILL

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code grabbers.

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 “Code Grabber Prohibi-
5 tion Act of 1994”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON USE OF CODE GRABBERS.**

7 Section 2510(16) of title 18, United States Code, is
8 amended—

9 (1) by striking “or” at the end of subparagraph
10 (D);

1 (2) by inserting “or” at the end of subpara-
2 graph (E); and

3 (3) by adding after subparagraph (E) the fol-
4 lowing;

5 “(F) a coded signal sent by a motor vehicle
6 alarm system, unless the interception, access,
7 disclosure, or other conduct otherwise prohib-
8 ited by this chapter or chapter 121 of this title
9 is for a noncriminal and nontortious purpose;”.

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