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H. R. 3327

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

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

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”.

