

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1314

To provide an enhanced penalty for threatening to kill, injure, or intimidate an individual, or to cause property damage, by means of fire or an explosive on school property.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 29, 2001

Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. GILMAN, and Mrs. KELLY) 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. ENHANCED PENALTY FOR THREATENING TO**
2 **KILL, INJURE, OR INTIMIDATE AN INDI-**
3 **VIDUAL, OR TO CAUSE PROPERTY DAMAGE,**
4 **BY MEANS OF FIRE OR AN EXPLOSIVE ON**
5 **SCHOOL PROPERTY.**

6 Section 844(e) of title 18, United States Code, is
7 amended by adding at the end the following: “If the threat
8 or conveying of false information referred to in the pre-
9 ceding sentence concerns conduct on the grounds of a
10 school which provides elementary or secondary education
11 (as determined under State law), the maximum term of
12 imprisonment under this subsection shall be 20 years.”.

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