

One Hundred Tenth Congress U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Homeland Security Washington, DC 20515

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SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

The Subcommittee on Transportation Security and Infrastructure Protection of the Committee on Homeland Security met, pursuant to notice, in open markup session, a quorum being present, on Wednesday, January 23, 2008, in 311 Cannon House Office Building to consider a Committee Print. The Subcommittee took the following actions:

Committee Print entitled "To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to extend, modify, and recodify the authority of the Secretary of Homeland Security to enhance security and protect against acts of terrorism against chemical facilities, and for other purposes."; was ordered to be forwarded to the Full Committee for consideration, as amended, by unanimous consent.

The Subcommittee adopted the bill, as amended, by voice vote.

The following amendments were offered:

An amendment offered by Ms. Jackson-Lee (#1), to strike the proposed section 2114 insert a new section 2114 entitled "Sec. 2114. Office of Chemical Facility Security." and to insert after section 2102 (d) a new section entitled "(e) Dissemination of Best Practices."; was AGREED TO by voice vote.

An amendment offered by Ms. Brown-Waite (#2), to insert a new section after section 2115 entitled "Sec. 2116. Terrorist Watchlist and Immigration Status Review Required for Certain Employees of High-Risk Chemical Facilities."; was NOT AGREED TO by a record vote of 4 yeas and 5 nays (Roll Call Vote No. 3).

