

108TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 3687

To amend section 1464 of title 18, United States Code, to provide for the punishment of certain profane broadcasts, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 8, 2003

Mr. OSE (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Texas) 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 That section 1464 of title 18, United States Code, is  
4 amended—

5 (1) by inserting “(a)” before “Whoever”; and

6 (2) by adding at the end the following:

7 “(b) As used in this section, the term ‘profane’, used  
8 with respect to language, includes the words ‘shit’, ‘piss’,  
9 ‘fuck’, ‘cunt’, ‘asshole’, and the phrases ‘cock sucker’,  
10 ‘mother fucker’, and ‘ass hole’, compound use (including

1 hyphenated compounds) of such words and phrases with  
2 each other or with other words or phrases, and other  
3 grammatical forms of such words and phrases (including  
4 verb, adjective, gerund, participle, and infinitive forms).”.

