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H. R. 2080

To amend title 18, United States Code, to transport maximum security prisoners across State lines to prisons that are not classified to handle maximum security prisoners.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 8, 1999

Mr. TRAFICANT 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 “Prisoner Transfer Act
5 of 1999”.

1 **SEC. 2. TRANSPORT OF MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISONERS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 87 of title 18, United
3 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
4 lowing:

5 **“§ 1794. Transport of maximum security prisoners**

6 “Whoever, knowing or having reason to know that an
7 individual is a prisoner pursuant to conviction for crime
8 under State or Federal law, who is classified as a max-
9 imum security prisoner, knowingly transports that indi-
10 vidual across a State line, other than to a prison or other
11 facility classified as a maximum security prison or facility,
12 shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than
13 2 years, or both.”.

14 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
15 at the beginning of chapter 87 of title 18, United States
16 Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

“1794. Transport of maximum security prisoners.”.

