

108TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 374

To amend the Hate Crime Statistics Act to require the Attorney General to acquire data about crimes that manifest evidence of prejudice based on gender.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 2003

Mrs. MALONEY 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 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Hate Crime Statistics  
5 Improvement Act of 2003”.

6 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO HATE CRIME STATISTICS ACT.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (b)(1) of the first sec-  
8 tion of the Hate Crime Statistics Act (28 U.S.C. 534 note)  
9 is amended—

1           (1) by striking “or” after “sexual orientation,”;

2           and

3           (2) by inserting “or gender,” after “ethnicity,”.

4           (b) APPLICATION.—The amendment made by sub-  
5 section (a) applies to data about crimes occurring on or  
6 after the first day of the first calendar year after the en-  
7 actment of this Act.

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