

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2170

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 3, 2007

Mr. PEARCE (for himself and Mr. RADANOVICH) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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 “Preventing the
5 Endangerment of Children on Recreational Lands by Sex-
6 ual Violators Act”.

7 **SEC. 2. RESTRICTION.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—An individual convicted by a Fed-
9 eral, State, or local court of competent jurisdiction of a

1 sexual offense involving a minor shall not, after the date
2 as of which that conviction becomes or became final, be
3 eligible to serve in the Department of the Interior or the
4 Department of Agriculture, including on a contract basis.

5 (b) APPLICABILITY.—Nothing in this section shall re-
6 quire the separation of any employee serving pursuant to
7 an appointment that took effect, or an individual whose
8 services under contract began, before the date of the en-
9 actment of this Act.

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