

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5246

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 29, 2014

Mr. JORDAN 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. DEADLINE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEY TO**
2 **BRING CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS ACTION BE-**
3 **FORE A GRAND JURY.**

4 (a) 30-DAY DEADLINE.—Section 104 of the Revised
5 Statutes (2 U.S.C. 194) is amended by striking “for its
6 action.” and inserting “for its action not later than 30
7 days after receiving the certification of the statement of
8 facts.”.

9 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
10 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to statements of
11 facts which are certified to a United States attorney under
12 section 104 of the Revised Statutes on or after the date
13 of the enactment of this Act.

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