

## **Pro-Homosexual/Drag Queen “Hate Crimes” Bill VOTE NEXT WEEK!**

**Begins to lay the legal foundation and framework to investigate, prosecute and persecute pastors, business owners, and anyone else whose actions are based upon, and reflect, the truths found in the Bible**

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**It is vital that Bible-believing people immediately contact their U.S. Representative.** We must defeat H.R. 1592, the Local Law Enforcement Hate Crimes Prevention Act of 2007 known as the “hat e crimes” / thought crimes bill.

**Without your action, this anti-Christian legislation will pass** -- under the guise of hate-crime prevention -- and accomplish the following homosexual goals:

- **Criminalize so-called “hate speech,”** – which is any speech that is critical of homosexuality or cross-dressing behaviors. The suppression of free speech will be justified by the claim that such speech “incites” individuals to commit violence against homosexuals, cross-dressers etc. Any remarks about homosexuality, such as reading Bible passages, preaching on these passages, telling a person they can come out of the homosexual lifestyle, etc. could be deemed critical remarks and could be ruled to be outside the bounds of First Amendment protections for pastors, business owners and individuals.
- **Silence the Bible-believing Churches,** Pastors and Christians because of fear of fines or prison.
- **Elevate homosexuality and cross-dressing behaviors** such as drag queens, transsexualism, she-males, etc. to the status of federally-protected minorities. These behaviors will be considered equal to race under the federal law.
- **Interfere with local law enforcement** by elevating alleged incidents of “hate” against a homosexual or cross-dresser into a federal crime.
- **Fund anti-Christian curriculum** for children K-12, through the U.S. Departments of Education and Justice to promote homosexuality and cross-dressing as normal behaviors in schools.

The passage of H.R. 1592 will be a serious threat to free speech and freedom of religion. This so-called Hate Crimes Bill begins to lay the legal foundation and framework to investigate, prosecute and persecute those who refuse, for moral and religious reasons, to agree or teach their children that homosexuality, transgender, cross-dressing etc is normal and desirable.

**Ultimately, a pastor’s sermon concerning homosexuality could be considered an incitement to violence and punished with a fine or prison. The House Judiciary Committee finally admitted this could be the result.**

- *This has already occurred in Sweden, Canada, and England and efforts are underway in Brazil to punish any person who speaks out against homosexuality.*

**IMMEDIATE ACTION NEEDED -- VOTE EXPECTED MAY 3rd ON NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER**

- **Call and send urgent email to your U.S. Representative asking them to VOTE NO on HR 1592**  
**CALL -- 202/225-3121**  
**EMAIL -- <http://www.traditionalvalues.org/hc>**
- For more information on Hate Crimes go to – <http://www.traditionalvalues.org>

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