

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 888

AN ACT

To amend section 1091 of title 18, United States Code, to allow the prosecution of genocide in appropriate circumstances.

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 “Genocide Account-
5 ability Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. GENOCIDE.**

2 Section 1091 of title 18, United States Code, is
3 amended by striking subsection (d) and inserting the fol-
4 lowing:

5 “(d) **REQUIRED CIRCUMSTANCE FOR OFFENSES.**—
6 The circumstance referred to in subsections (a) and (c)
7 is that—

8 “(1) the offense is committed in whole or in
9 part within the United States;

10 “(2) the alleged offender is a national of the
11 United States (as that term is defined in section 101
12 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
13 1101));

14 “(3) the alleged offender is an alien lawfully ad-
15 mitted for permanent residence in the United States
16 (as that term is defined in section 101 of the Immi-
17 gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101));

18 “(4) the alleged offender is a stateless person
19 whose habitual residence is in the United States; or

20 “(5) after the conduct required for the offense
21 occurs, the alleged offender is brought into, or found

1 in, the United States, even if that conduct occurred
2 outside the United States.”.

Passed the Senate March 29, 2007.

Attest:

Secretary.

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