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H. R. 1105

To provide an exception to certain mandatory minimum sentence requirements for a person employed outside the United States by a Federal agency, who uses, carries, or possesses a firearm during and in relation to a crime of violence committed while on-duty with a firearm required to be carried while on-duty.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 18, 2021

Mr. BURGESS (for himself and Mr. GOHMERT) 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Mandatory Minimum
5 Sentence Reform Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXCEPTION TO CERTAIN MANDATORY MINIMUM**
2 **SENTENCING REQUIREMENTS FOR PERSON**
3 **EMPLOYED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES BY**
4 **A FEDERAL AGENCY, WHO USES, CARRIES, OR**
5 **POSSESSES A FIREARM DURING AND IN RE-**
6 **LATION TO A CRIME OF VIOLENCE COM-**
7 **MITTED WHILE ON-DUTY WITH A FIREARM**
8 **REQUIRED TO BE CARRIED WHILE ON-DUTY.**

9 Section 3261 of title 18, United States Code, is
10 amended by adding at the end the following:

11 “(e) Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this section,
12 if the offense is a violation of section 924(c)(1) of this
13 title, the minimum sentencing requirements of section
14 924(c)(1)(A) of this title shall not apply if—

15 “(1) the person committed a crime of violence
16 during and in relation to the offense;

17 “(2) an agency of the United States required
18 the person to carry a firearm while on-duty; and

19 “(3) at the time the person used, carried, or
20 possessed the firearm, the person was employed out-
21 side the United States by the agency, and was on-
22 duty.”.

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