



CEPRA

CHILD EXPLOITATION PREVENTION AND RESPONSE AUTHORITY
UNITED STATES · PROPOSED FEDERAL AUTHORITY · 2026

One-page legislative brief

CEPRA is an advocacy proposal for a dedicated federal Child Exploitation Prevention and Response Authority — not an existing agency. The documented floor is already intolerable: tens of millions of CSEM reports, chronic underfunding of ICAC relative to other federal enforcement priorities, fragmented jurisdiction, platform non-accountability, and statutory age thresholds that still permit commercial sexual activity at 16 or 18 in multiple jurisdictions.

Legislative demand

1. Establish CEPRA as a dedicated federal authority with a unified investigative mandate.
2. Fund it at no less than \$1 billion dedicated annual appropriations, ring-fenced.
3. Require real-time multi-agency data sharing (federal / state / tribal / local).
4. Remove Section 230 immunity for platforms that knowingly host or fail to report CSE material.
5. Enact foster-care trafficking protections and exit protocols.
6. Adopt a binding federal survivor-care and case-management standard.
7. Raise commercial sexual activity / explicit-material production age threshold to 21 where currently legal at 16 or 18.

Accountability safeguards

Annual public reporting · Independent Inspector General · Biennial Congressional review with sunset · Statutory survivor advisory council.

Act

Petition: <https://www.change.org/p/urge-congress-to-close-loopholes-and-jurisdiction-gaps>

Short link: <https://c.org/w55Yz6qSqc>

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