
18 U.S. Code § 2332a

Use of weapons of mass destruction

(a) Offense Against a National of the United States or Within the United States .—A person who, without lawful authority, uses, threatens, or attempts or conspires to use, a weapon of mass destruction—

- (1) against a national of the United States while such national is outside of the United States;
- (2) against any person or property within the United States, and
 - (A) the mail or any facility of interstate or foreign commerce is used in furtherance of the offense;
 - (B) such property is used in interstate or foreign commerce or in an activity that affects interstate or foreign commerce;
 - (C) any perpetrator travels in or causes another to travel in interstate or foreign commerce in furtherance of the offense; or
 - (D) the offense, or the results of the offense, affect interstate or foreign commerce, or, in the case of a threat, attempt, or conspiracy, would have affected interstate or foreign commerce;

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