

HR 1254

Lyme Disease Initiative of 2001

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 23, 2001
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Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	May 8, 2001
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 16, 2001
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 17, 2001
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Lyme Disease Initiative of 2001 - Directs the Secretaries of Health and Human Services, of Agriculture, of the Interior, and of Defense to: (1) establish specified detection test, improved surveillance and reporting system, and prevention goals to provide for a reduction in the incidence and prevalence of Lyme disease and related tick borne infectious diseases; and (2) establish a five-year plan of activities toward achieving those goals, and carry them out.

Establishes the Lyme Disease Taskforce to advise the Secretaries with respect to achieving such goals.

Actions Timeline

- **May 8, 2001:** Executive Comment Requested from DOD.
- **May 8, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Apr 23, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry.
- **Apr 23, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research.
- **Apr 17, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands.
- **Apr 17, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- **Apr 17, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health.
- **Apr 16, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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