

## HR 1718

National Museum of African American History and Culture Act of 2001

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Arts, Culture, Religion

**Introduced:** May 3, 2001

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management. (May 4, 2001)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-bill/1718>

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 4, 2001

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 3442	Related bill	<b>Dec 28, 2001:</b> Became Public Law No: 107-106.
107 S 829	Related bill	<b>May 3, 2001:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4263-4265)

National Museum of African American History and Culture Act of 2001 - Establishes within the Smithsonian Institution the National Museum of African American History and Culture to be operated as a center for scholarship and a location for museum training, public education, exhibits, and collection and study of items and materials relating to the life, art, history, and culture of African Americans from slavery and the era of reconstruction to the Harlem renaissance, the civil rights movement, and beyond.

Establishes the National Museum of African American History and Culture Council. Requires the Council to appoint a Director to manage the Museum. Authorizes the Council to plan, design, reconstruct, renovate, and expand the Arts and Industries Building to house the Museum.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 4, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **May 3, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **May 3, 2001:** Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
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