

HR 2282

Preservation of Civil Rights Protections Act of 2001

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 18, 2001
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 16, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 21, 2001)

Preservation of Civil Rights Protections Act of 2001 - Amends the Federal Arbitration Act to modify the definition of "commerce" so as to exclude employment contracts from arbitration provisions (currently, employment contracts of seamen, railroad employees, or any other class of workers engaged in foreign or interstate commerce are excluded). Makes arbitration clauses in employment contracts unenforceable, with exceptions for: (1) consent by the involved parties after a claim arises; and (2) enforcement of rights or terms of collective bargaining agreements.

Provides that this Act shall apply to existing and future employment contracts.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 18, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.
- **Jul 16, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law.
- **Jun 21, 2001:** Introduced in House
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