

HR 3806

Paul Revere Freedom to Warn Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

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Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E529-530)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E529-530) (Apr 16, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]

Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gilman, Benjamin A. [R-NY-20]	R · NY		Feb 27, 2002
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 27, 2002
Rep. Morella, Constance A. [R-MD-8]	R · MD		Feb 27, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 18, 2002
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 27, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Paul Revere Freedom to Warn Act - Allows any Federal employee aggrieved by a violation of the right to petition Congress or a Member of Congress, or to furnish information to either House of Congress, or to a congressional committee or committee Member, or by a violation of specified criminal law provisions relating to witness tampering, to bring a civil action (entitled to a jury trial) in the appropriate U.S. District Court, within three years from the date of such violation, against any person, organization, or employer responsible for the violation, for lost wages and benefits, reinstatement, costs and attorney fees, compensatory or punitive damages, and equitable, injunctive, or any other relief that the court considers appropriate.

States that a District Court shall retain jurisdiction over any claim filed unless all parties voluntarily elect, after the complaint is filed, that the proceeding be resolved through mediation and, if necessary, that a decision by an arbitrator selected by mutual consent, with approval by the Court, be binding.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 16, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E529-530)
- **Mar 18, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime.
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