

## HR 5186

Drug Importation Act of 2002

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 29, 2002)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 29, 2002

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jul 23, 2002)

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Drug Importation Act of 2002 - Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to permit an individual who is not in the business of importing prescription drugs to import prescription drugs which appear to be approved, non-narcotic, and produced by a registered producer.

Provides for a program where a pharmacist who is not otherwise permitted to import a prescription drug may do so when a drug meets the above standard. Excludes controlled substances and biological products.

States that alternative labeling may be required.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 29, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 23, 2002:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 23, 2002:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 23, 2002:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.