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HR 740

Patent and Trademark Office Reauthorization Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce Introduced: Feb 27, 2001

Current Status: For Further Action See H.R.2215.

Latest Action: For Further Action See H.R.2215. (Oct 3, 2002)

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Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Feb 27, 2001
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# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 9, 2001

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## **Policy Area:**

Commerce

### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 2215	Procedurally related	Nov 2, 2002: Became Public Law No: 107-273.
107 HR 2047	Procedurally related	Oct 3, 2002: For Further Action See H.R.2215.

#### **Summary** (as of Feb 27, 2001)

Patent and Trademark Office Reauthorization Act - Amends Federal patent law to authorize fees collected for Patent and Trademark Office services or materials to be available until expended for Office activities. (Currently, such fees are available only to the extent and in the amounts provided in advance in appropriations Acts.)

## **Actions Timeline**

- Oct 3, 2002: For Further Action See H.R.2215.
- Jul 24, 2002: For Further Action See H.R.2047.
- Mar 9, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property.
- Feb 27, 2001: Introduced in House
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- Feb 27, 2001: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.