

## HR 1003

Meat and Poultry Inspection Accountability Act

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

**Introduced:** Feb 27, 2003

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.  
(Mar 10, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/1003>

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 6, 2003
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 10, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Feb 27, 2003)

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Meat and Poultry Inspection Accountability Act - Authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to assess specified civil money penalties for violations of the Federal Meat Inspection Act or the Poultry Products Inspection Act.

Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to authorize civil money penalties for violations of provisions under such Act as they relate to meat and poultry.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 10, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Horticulture.
- **Feb 27, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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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