

HR 1283

New Automobile Add-On Disclosure and Consumer Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 17, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

New Automobile Add-On Disclosure and Consumer Protection Act - Requires each dealer to disclose to each consumer that purchases a new automobile: (1) a dealer add-on invoice; and (2) a dealer add-on warranty statement.

Specifies the timing of such disclosures.

States that dealer violation of this Act results in liability to the United States for a civil penalty of not more than \$10,000 or the total cost of the new automobile involved (including add-ons, taxes, and any other fees charged to the customer by the dealer), whichever is greater.

Permits a private right of action by a consumer aggrieved by a violation of this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 17, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
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