HR 439

Domestic Consumer Safety Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)
Chamber: House
Policy Area: Commerce
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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection. (Feb 14, 2003)
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 14, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 29, 2003)

Domestic Consumer Safety Act of 2003 - Directs the Federal Trade Commission to make rules to assure that businesses in or affecting interstate or foreign commerce perform adequate and appropriate background checks on employees they send into people's homes. Sets a civil penalty of up to $1 million for violating such a rule.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 14, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
- **Jan 29, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 29, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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