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HR 869

To amend the Controlled Substances Act to lift the patient limitation on prescribing drug addiction treatments by medical practitioners in group practices, and for other purposes.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Feb 16, 2005

Current Status: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 100.

Latest Action: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 100. (Jul 11, 2005) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/869

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Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	$D\cdotMA$		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Apr 13, 2005
Rep. Porter, Jon C. [R-NV-3]	$R \cdot NV$		Apr 20, 2005
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Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		May 3, 2005
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	$R \cdot PA$		May 3, 2005
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		May 3, 2005
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 10, 2005
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 12, 2005

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Rep. Peterson, John E. [R-PA-5]	$R \cdot PA$		May 19, 2005
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	$D \cdot MD$		May 26, 2005
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		Jun 7, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Apr 27, 2005
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported by	Jun 23, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 11, 2005)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The expanded summary of the House reported [part 1] version is repeated here.)

Amends the Controlled Substances Act to eliminate the 30-patient limit for medical group practices allowed to dispense narcotic drugs in schedules III, IV, or V for maintenance or detoxification treatment (retains the 30-patient limit for an individual physician).

Actions Timeline

- Jul 11, 2005: Reported by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 109-116, Part II.
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- Jul 11, 2005: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 100.
- Jun 29, 2005: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jun 29, 2005: Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- Jun 23, 2005: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jun 23, 2005: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote.
- Jun 9, 2005: Reported by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 109-116, Part I.
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- Jun 9, 2005: House Committee on Judiciary Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than July 11, 2005.
- May 4, 2005: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- May 4, 2005: Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- Apr 27, 2005: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Apr 27, 2005: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote.
- Apr 4, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- Mar 14, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Feb 16, 2005: Introduced in House
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