

HR 1173

Vending Machine Safety Act of 2007

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection. (Feb 27, 2007)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 27, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 16, 2007)

Vending Machine Safety Act of 2007 - Directs the Consumer Product Safety Commission to issue a consumer product safety standard for the manufacture and installation of vending machines, particularly those using a lever or crane apparatus to dispense a product.

Allows such standard to include: (1) a requirement for warning labels or signs relating to the use of such machines to prevent injuries to individuals, including children; and (2) requirements for an emergency release mechanism for opening the machine if the machine has an opening big enough to permit entrapment of a small child.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 27, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
- **Feb 16, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 16, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.