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# HR 217

Cuba Reconciliation Act

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jan 4, 2007

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia. (Mar 20,

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Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

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Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	$D \cdot AZ$		Feb 13, 2007
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Feb 13, 2007
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Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 6, 2007
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Mar 15, 2007
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## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 4, 2007
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 2, 2007
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 16, 2007
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 4, 2007
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 2, 2007
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 20, 2007
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 18, 2007

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

International Affairs

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 4, 2007)

Cuba Reconciliation Act - Amends the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (including other specified laws) to repeal the embargo placed upon all trade with Cuba.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to declare the denial of foreign tax credit inapplicable to Cuba.

Permits: (1) installation and maintenance of telecommunications equipment and facilities in Cuba, including telecommunications services between the United States and Cuba; and (2) travel to and from Cuba by U.S. citizens or residents.

Requires the U.S. Postal Service to provide direct mail service to and from Cuba.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Mar 20, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia.
- Mar 16, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology.
- Feb 2, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- Feb 2, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law
- Jan 18, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
- Jan 4, 2007: Introduced in House
- Jan 4, 2007: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, Financial Services, Oversight and Government Reform, and Agriculture, 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.