

HR 2264

NOPEC

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]

Party: Democratic • State: MI • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		May 10, 2007
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		May 10, 2007
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		May 16, 2007
Rep. Hill, Baron P. [D-IN-9]	D · IN		May 16, 2007
Rep. Kagen, Steve [D-WI-8]	D · WI		May 16, 2007
Rep. Arcuri, Michael A. [D-NY-24]	D · NY		May 21, 2007
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		May 21, 2007
Rep. Hall, John J. [D-NY-19]	D · NY		May 21, 2007
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH		May 21, 2007
Rep. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT-5]	D · CT		May 21, 2007
Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7]	D · PA		May 21, 2007
Rep. Space, Zachary T. [D-OH-18]	D · OH		May 21, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported By	May 22, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 879	Identical bill	May 21, 2008: Committee on the Judiciary. Hearings held.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on May 21, 2007. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

No Oil Producing and Exporting Cartels Act of 2007 or NOPEC - Amends the Sherman Act to declare it to be illegal and a violation of the Act for any foreign state or instrumentality thereof to act collectively or in combination with any other foreign state or any other person, whether by cartel or any other association or form of cooperation or joint action, to limit the production or distribution of oil, natural gas, or any other petroleum product (petroleum), to set or maintain the price of petroleum, or to otherwise take any action in restraint of trade for petroleum, when such action has a direct, substantial, and reasonably foreseeable effect on the market, supply, price, or distribution of petroleum in the United States.

Denies a foreign state engaged in such conduct sovereign immunity from the jurisdiction or judgements of U.S. courts in any action brought to enforce this Act.

States that no U.S. court shall decline, based on the act of state doctrine, to make a determination on the merits in an action brought under this Act.

Authorizes the Attorney General to bring an action in U.S. district court to enforce this Act.

Makes an exception to the jurisdictional immunity of a foreign state in an action brought under this Act.

### Actions Timeline

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- **May 23, 2007:** Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 169.
- **May 22, 2007:** Mr. Conyers moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **May 22, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5556-5560)
- **May 22, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2264.
- **May 22, 2007:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **May 22, 2007:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5581-5582)
- **May 22, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 345 - 72 (Roll no. 398).(text: CR H5556-5557)
- **May 22, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 22, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 345 - 72 (Roll no. 398). (text: CR H5556-5557)
- **May 21, 2007:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 110-160.
- **May 21, 2007:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 96.
- **May 17, 2007:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 17, 2007:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 11, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1028)
- **May 10, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **May 10, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.