

HR 6571

Healthy Air for Federal Workers Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Jul 22, 2008
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 22, 2008
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 23, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Healthy Air for Federal Workers Act - Prohibits the smoking of tobacco products in any area outside of any federal executive, legislative, or judicial building which is within 25 feet of any of the building's entrances, exits, windows that open, or ventilation intakes that serve an enclosed area of the building where smoking is prohibited.

Excludes the smoking of tobacco products which occurs solely for purposes of research on smoking conducted by an agency.

Requires the Administrator of General Services, in conjunction with agency heads, regarding executive branch buildings, and the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, regarding judicial branch buildings, to inform all employees and visitors to such buildings about the smoke-free policy, educate employees about the dangers of exposure to secondhand smoke, and undertake necessary related activities.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 23, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Jul 22, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 22, 2008:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, and the Judiciary, 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.