

HR 1866

Industrial Hemp Farming Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Campbell, John [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Jun 18, 2009
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH		Jul 7, 2009
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Sep 9, 2009
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Sep 21, 2009
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Oct 7, 2009
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Nov 2, 2009
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Nov 3, 2009
Rep. Rehberg, Denny [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Jan 26, 2010
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 22, 2010
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Mar 9, 2010
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 11, 2010
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		May 13, 2010
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		May 24, 2010
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Sep 14, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 21, 2009
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 26, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Industrial Hemp Farming Act of 2009 - Amends the Controlled Substances Act to exclude industrial hemp from the definition of "marihuana." Defines "industrial hemp" to mean the plant *Cannabis sativa* L. and any part of such plant, whether growing or not, with a delta-nine tetrahydrocannabinol concentration that does not exceed 0.3 percent on a dry weight basis. Grants a state regulating the growing and processing of industrial hemp exclusive authority, in any criminal or civil action or administrative proceeding, to determine whether any such plant meets that concentration limit.

Actions Timeline

- **May 26, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 2, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 2, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E860-861)
- **Apr 2, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Apr 2, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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.
- **Apr 2, 2009:** Referred to House Judiciary