

## HR 3450

Automobile Dealers Fair Competition Act of 2009

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (22 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Faleomavaega, Eni F. H. [D-AS-At Large]	D · AS		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1]	D · AR		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Hare, Phil [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Massa, Eric J. J. [D-NY-29]	D · NY		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Reyes, Silvestre [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Jul 31, 2009
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Nov 19, 2009
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Nov 19, 2009

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 8, 2009

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Commerce

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jul 31, 2009)

Automobile Dealers Fair Competition Act of 2009 - Makes it unlawful for any new automobile manufacturer to unreasonably discriminate against or deny a franchise to an automobile dealer who applies for the retention of its franchise. Permits an automobile dealer to file an expedited action in a U.S. district court to restore its franchise.

Defines: (1) "new automobile manufacturer" as an automobile manufacturing company established in 2009 that is the successor to another automobile manufacturing company and acquires the assets of the predecessor company in a transaction governed by federal bankruptcy law; and (2) "automobile dealer" as any automobile dealer in the United States that, on January 1, 2009, held a franchise granted by an automobile manufacturing company that was the predecessor company to a new automobile manufacturer to sell that company's automobiles, but has not entered into an agreement with the new manufacturer to continue serving as a franchisee.

## Actions Timeline

- **Sep 8, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
- **Jul 31, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 31, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H9264)
- **Jul 31, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.