

HR 5751

Lobbying Disclosure Enhancement Act

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Chamber: House

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Aug 5, 2010)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 15, 2010
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Lobbying Disclosure Enhancement Act - Directs the Attorney General to establish the Lobbying Disclosure Act Enforcement Task Force, which shall: (1) have primary responsibility for investigating and prosecuting each case referred to the Attorney General involving a lobbyist or lobbying firm that has been notified that it may be in noncompliance with the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 and that has failed to provide an appropriate response within 60 days; and (2) collect and disseminate information regarding enforcement of such Act. Authorizes appropriations.

Amends such Act to: (1) provide for referral of cases to the Attorney General (current law provides for referrals to the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia); and (2) require the Attorney General's enforcement report to specified congressional committees to include the name of the individual lobbyists or lobbying firms involved in each case.

Authorizes the Attorney General to make recommendations to Congress regarding: (1) the enforcement of and compliance with such Act; and (2) the need for resources available for the enhanced enforcement of such Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 5, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jul 28, 2010:** Mr. Scott (VA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 28, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6204-6206)
- **Jul 28, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5751.
- **Jul 28, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6204)
- **Jul 28, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6204)
- **Jul 28, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 28, 2010:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.