

## HR 2246

### Firearms Interstate Commerce Reform Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** May 8, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Jun 1, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/2246>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Scalise, Steve [R-LA-1]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

| Cosponsor                          | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|------------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2] | R · WV        |      | May 8, 2015  |
| Rep. Farenthold, Blake [R-TX-27]   | R · TX        |      | May 20, 2015 |
| Rep. Jolly, David W. [R-FL-13]     | R · FL        |      | May 29, 2015 |
| Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]    | R · AZ        |      | Jun 2, 2015  |
| Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]           | R · KY        |      | Jun 15, 2015 |
| Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]     | R · NH        |      | Feb 26, 2016 |
| Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]       | R · NM        |      | Sep 6, 2016  |

### Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Judiciary Committee | House   | Referred to | Jun 1, 2015 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action   |
|-------------|----------------|---|
| 114 S 1351  | Identical bill | <b>May 14, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.                               |
| 114 HR 1217 | Related bill   | <b>Mar 31, 2015:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. |

## **Firearms Interstate Commerce Reform Act**

Amends the federal criminal code to: (1) allow licensed firearms importers, manufacturers, dealers, or collectors (licensees) to sell or deliver any firearm (currently, rifles or shotguns) to a resident of a state other than the state in which the licensee is located or temporarily located if the licensee meets with the purchaser to complete the sale or delivery and the transaction complies with the laws of the state in which the transfer is conducted and the purchaser's state of residence; and (2) eliminate the requirement that a licensee must conduct business at a gun show only in the state that is specified on the licensee's license.

Provides that nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit the sale or other disposition of a firearm or ammunition: (1) between licensed firearms dealers at any location in any state; or (2) by a licensed importer, manufacturer, or dealer to an unlicensed person at a temporary location in any state.

Amends definitions for federal firearms provisions to: (1) revise the definition of a "member of the Armed Forces on active duty" to include a member (or member's spouse) who is a resident of the state in which such person maintains legal residence or in which the member maintains a place of abode from which the member commutes each day to the permanent duty station; and (2) provide that an officer or employee of the United States (other than a member of the Armed Forces) stationed outside the United States for a period exceeding one year, or a spouse residing with such an officer or employee, is a resident of the state in which the person maintains legal residence.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 1, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **May 8, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **May 8, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.