

HR 2546

Firearm Risk Protection Act of 2015

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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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 16, 2015)

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Sponsor

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Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 21, 2015
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Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Nov 2, 2015
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Nov 4, 2015
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Feb 3, 2016
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2016
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Mar 17, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 21, 2015)

Firearm Risk Protection Act of 2015

Amends the Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act to: (1) prohibit the purchase or sale of a firearm unless the purchaser presents proof to the seller and the seller verifies that the purchaser is covered by a qualified liability insurance policy, and (2) require any person who purchases a firearm on or after this Act's effective date to be covered by such a policy. Exempts the purchase or sale of a firearm for use by a federal, state, or local agency.

Defines "qualified liability insurance policy" to mean a policy that: (1) provides liability insurance covering the purchaser specifically for losses resulting from use of the firearm while it is owned by the purchaser, and (2) is issued by an insurer licensed or authorized to provide the coverage by the state in which the purchaser resides.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **May 21, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **May 21, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E775)
- **May 21, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.