

HR 4460

Youth Sports Concussion Act

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Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		May 19, 2016
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 5, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2508	Identical bill	Dec 6, 2016: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 701.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2016)

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This bill expresses the sense of Congress that the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) should review the National Academies' report on sports-related concussions and future research in such area for any matter that may impact products under the CPSC's jurisdiction or inform the FTC's efforts to protect consumers.

The bill makes it unlawful to sell or offer for sale in interstate commerce, or import into the United States for such purposes, athletic sporting equipment for which the seller or importer makes any deceptive claim with respect to the safety benefits of such item.

Violations shall be treated as unfair or deceptive acts or practices under the Federal Trade Commission Act. The bill sets forth the enforcement authority of the FTC.

States may bring civil actions in federal court to obtain injunctive relief on behalf of state residents unless a civil or administrative action has already been instituted by the FTC. The FTC may intervene and appeal in state actions.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 5, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade.
- **Feb 4, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 4, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.