

HR 5549

Medical Marijuana Research Act of 2016

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Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Jun 27, 2016)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 21, 2016
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Medical Marijuana Research Act of 2016

This bill amends the Controlled Substances Act to:

- modify requirements regarding the production of marijuana through the National Institute on Drug Abuse Drug Supply Program;
- establish, with respect to marijuana research, a new federal registration process that is separate from the process for research involving other schedule I drugs;
- establish a process for registering persons to manufacture or distribute marijuana for medical research purposes; and
- modify other requirements related to marijuana research and production.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 27, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jun 21, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 21, 2016:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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