

HR 5883

Clarification of Treatment of Electronic Sales of Livestock Act of 2016

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Sep 7, 2016
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Sep 7, 2016
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Sep 8, 2016
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Sep 12, 2016
Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Sep 12, 2016
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Sep 14, 2016
Rep. Young, David [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Sep 14, 2016
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Sep 19, 2016
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Sep 19, 2016
Rep. Palazzo, Steven M. [R-MS-4]	R · MS		Sep 19, 2016
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Sep 20, 2016
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Sep 20, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 20, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3350	Related bill	Sep 15, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on September 20, 2016. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

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(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921 to expand the definition of "marketing agency" to include any person who engages in the business of buying or selling livestock, on a commission or other fee basis, through the use of online, video, or other electronic methods. The term "marketing agency" does not include a person whose annual average of online, video, or electronic sales of livestock, on a commission or other fee basis, is less than \$250,000.

(Sec. 3) The bill also permits electronic funds transfers and other expeditious payment methods that the Department of Agriculture determines to be appropriate to be used as options for meeting prompt payment requirements for livestock purchases.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 7, 2016:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 7, 2016:** Became Public Law No: 114-237.
- **Oct 3, 2016:** Presented to President.
- **Sep 29, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S6256)
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- **Sep 29, 2016:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Sep 26, 2016:** Mr. Rouzer moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 26, 2016:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5874-5875)
- **Sep 26, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5883.
- **Sep 26, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5874)
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- **Sep 26, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 20, 2016:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Agriculture. H. Rept. 114-768.
- **Sep 20, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 601.
- **Sep 14, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 14, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 14, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.