

## HR 5934

### Dangerous Synthetic Drug Control Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Sep 6, 2016

**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. (Sep 15, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/5934>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Sep 6, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 6, 2016
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 15, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 3537	Related bill	Sep 27, 2016: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
114 S 3224	Identical bill	Jul 14, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Sep 6, 2016)

#### Dangerous Synthetic Drug Control Act of 2016

This bill amends the Controlled Substances Act to add certain synthetic opioids, hallucinogens, and cannabinoids to schedule I. (A schedule I controlled substance is a drug, substance, or chemical that: has a high potential for abuse; has no currently accepted medical value; and is subject to regulatory controls and administrative, civil, and criminal penalties under the Controlled Substances Act.)

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 15, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Sep 6, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 6, 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.