

## HR 1141

Pet Safety and Protection Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Animals

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture. (Mar 10, 2017)

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 10, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Animals

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Feb 16, 2017)

### Pet Safety and Protection Act of 2017

This bill amends the Animal Welfare Act to revise the list of permissible sources of dogs and cats used by research facilities to include dogs and cats obtained: (1) from a licensed dealer, (2) from a publicly owned and operated pound or shelter that meets specified requirements, (3) by donation from a person who bred and raised the dog or cat or owned it for not less than one year, or (4) from a research facility licensed by the Department of Agriculture. The requirements pertaining to sources apply to dogs and cats obtained through sales, donations, or offers. Monetary penalties are established for violations.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 10, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E216)
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.