

HR 1497

ICE Body Camera Act of 2017

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Policy Area: Immigration

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (18 total)

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Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Mar 10, 2017
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 10, 2017)

ICE Body Camera Act of 2017

This bill directs U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) to ensure that all deportation officers of its Enforcement and Removal Operations wear body cameras when engaged in field operations or removal proceedings.

ICE must establish policies for:

- when officers should wear, activate, and deactivate such cameras;
- the effective placement of such cameras;
- receiving and storing accurate recordings;
- the proper management and use of such cameras; and
- the availability of recordings to the subjects of removal proceedings, victims of crime, and the general public and for internal use by law enforcement officials.

A recording shall be provided to each party to any administrative proceeding, civil action, or criminal prosecution to which it pertains.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Mar 10, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 10, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.