

## HR 1563

Mary Jo Lawyer Spano Mesothelioma Patient Registry Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** House

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Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Mar 16, 2017
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Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		May 22, 2017
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Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Jun 23, 2017
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jun 27, 2017
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jul 11, 2017
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Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Sep 28, 2017
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Oct 24, 2017

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Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Oct 24, 2017
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Nov 1, 2017
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Nov 15, 2017
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Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Feb 23, 2018
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Mar 7, 2018
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Mar 7, 2018
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Mar 15, 2018
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Mar 29, 2018
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Mar 29, 2018
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Apr 24, 2018
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		May 7, 2018
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Jun 28, 2018
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jul 25, 2018
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jul 25, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 17, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Mary Jo Lawyer Spano Mesothelioma Patient Registry Act of 2017**

This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to direct the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry to develop a patient registry to collect data on mesothelioma.

The agency must use the registry to:

- enhance and expand infrastructure and activities for tracking the epidemiology of mesothelioma patients;
- collect, consolidate, and report on health information on mesothelioma patients;
- describe the incidence and prevalence of mesothelioma in the United States;
- facilitate research on mesothelioma;
- examine factors that may be associated with mesothelioma;
- outline key demographic factors associated with mesothelioma; and
- make information available to the public to facilitate and enhance research on, and the prevention and treatment of, mesothelioma.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 17, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 16, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 16, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.