

S 1577

Separation of Powers Restoration Act of 2017

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill replaces the deference given to an agency's interpretation of a statute with a requirement that courts decide all relevant questions of law without giving deference to the agency's interpretation. Thus, this bill overturns *Chevron U.S.A., Inc. v. Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc.*

Actions Timeline

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