

HR 1847

PAST Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Animals

Introduced: Mar 30, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 31, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]

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

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| Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8] | D · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8] | R · MI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3] | D · OR | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1] | D · OR | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Brat, Dave [R-VA-7] | R · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1] | D · RI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1] | D · MO | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5] | D · MO | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6] | R · CO | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9] | D · TN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10] | R · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11] | D · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13] | D · MI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8] | R · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |

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| Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2] | D · CT | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7] | D · MD | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Curbelo, Carlos [R-FL-26] | R · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13] | R · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4] | D · OR | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6] | D · MD | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3] | D · CT | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1] | D · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Denham, Jeff [R-CA-10] | R · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Donovan, Daniel M., Jr. [R-NY-11] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14] | D · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5] | D · MN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6] | R · MN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Esty, Elizabeth H. [D-CT-5] | D · CT | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Farenthold, Blake [R-TX-27] | R · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Faso, John J. [R-NY-19] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-8] | R · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2] | D · HI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8] | R · WI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7] | D · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-15] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4] | R · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5] | D · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3] | D · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10] | D · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Herrera Beutler, Jaime [R-WA-3] | R · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |

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| Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4] | D · CT | | Mar 30, 2017 |
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| Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6] | R · OH | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4] | D · GA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3] | R · NC | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14] | R · OH | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9] | D · OH | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kihuen, Ruben J. [D-NV-4] | D · NV | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5] | D · MI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6] | D · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2] | D · NH | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. LaHood, Darin [R-IL-18] | R · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7] | R · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2] | D · RI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2] | D · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14] | D · MI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9] | D · MI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5] | D · GA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2] | R · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Loebssack, David [D-IA-2] | D · IA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1] | D · NM | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3] | R · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Marino, Tom [R-PA-10] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |

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| Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4] | D · MN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4] | D · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10] | R · NC | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. McSally, Martha [R-AZ-2] | R · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Meehan, Patrick [R-PA-7] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4] | D · WI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8] | D · MN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1] | D · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1] | D · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6] | D · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10] | D · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7] | D · CO | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-4] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1] | D · ME | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2] | D · WI | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2] | D · CO | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4] | D · NC | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8] | D · MD | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV-3] | D · NV | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6] | R · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15] | R · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39] | R · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2] | D · MD | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13] | D · OH | | Mar 30, 2017 |

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| Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3] | D · MD | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10] | D · IL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5] | D · OR | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6] | R · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3] | D · VA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9] | D · AZ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8] | D · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9] | D · WA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4] | R · NJ | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21] | R · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5] | R · PA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1] | D · NV | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35] | D · CA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3] | D · MA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-10] | R · OH | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34] | D · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7] | D · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Walker, Mark [R-NC-6] | R · NC | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1] | D · MN | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large] | D · VT | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25] | R · TX | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24] | D · FL | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3] | D · KY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3] | R · KS | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Young, David [R-IA-3] | R · IA | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large] | R · AK | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Zeldin, Lee M. [R-NY-1] | R · NY | | Mar 30, 2017 |
| Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35] | D · TX | | Apr 3, 2017 |

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| Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11] | D · OH | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1] | R · MD | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24] | R · NY | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23] | R · NY | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21] | R · NY | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1] | R · VA | | Apr 3, 2017 |
| Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19] | D · CA | | Apr 4, 2017 |
| Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18] | R · FL | | Apr 4, 2017 |
| Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3] | D · NY | | Apr 4, 2017 |
| Rep. Reichert, David G. [R-WA-8] | R · WA | | Apr 6, 2017 |
| Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-16] | R · PA | | Apr 6, 2017 |
| Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14] | D · FL | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Frelinghuysen, Rodney P. [R-NJ-11] | R · NJ | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-50] | R · CA | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3] | D · NM | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8] | R · FL | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7] | R · MI | | Apr 20, 2017 |
| Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large] | R · SD | | Apr 25, 2017 |
| Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3] | R · MN | | Apr 25, 2017 |
| Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25] | D · NY | | Apr 25, 2017 |
| Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4] | R · CO | | Apr 28, 2017 |
| Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13] | R · NC | | Apr 28, 2017 |
| Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3] | D · WI | | Apr 28, 2017 |
| Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1] | D · NH | | Apr 28, 2017 |
| Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21] | R · CA | | Apr 28, 2017 |
| Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1] | D · PA | | May 2, 2017 |
| Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7] | D · WA | | May 2, 2017 |
| Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2] | R · KS | | May 2, 2017 |
| Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10] | R · MI | | May 2, 2017 |
| Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11] | D · CA | | May 18, 2017 |
| Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13] | D · GA | | May 18, 2017 |
| Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17] | D · PA | | May 24, 2017 |
| Rep. Trott, David A. [R-MI-11] | R · MI | | May 24, 2017 |
| Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4] | D · MD | | Jun 8, 2017 |
| Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-14] | D · NY | | Jun 8, 2017 |
| Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18] | D · CA | | Jun 8, 2017 |
| Rep. Estes, Ron [R-KS-4] | R · KS | | Jun 26, 2017 |
| Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5] | D · MD | | Jul 10, 2017 |
| Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1] | D · CO | | Jul 12, 2017 |
| Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9] | R · VA | | Jul 13, 2017 |
| Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1] | R · NE | | Jul 17, 2017 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 31, 2017 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 30, 2017)

Prevent All Soring Tactics Act of 2017 or the PAST Act

This bill amends the Horse Protection Act to establish a new system for inspecting horses for soring, revise penalties for violations of the Act, and modify enforcement procedures. The soring of horses is any of various actions taken on a horse's limb to produce a higher gait that may cause pain, distress, inflammation, or lameness.

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) must establish requirements to license, train, assign, and oversee persons hired by the management of horse shows, exhibitions, sales, or auctions to detect and diagnose sore horses. A license may not be issued to a person with conflicts of interest, and USDA must give preference to veterinarians. USDA may revoke a license for unsatisfactory performance. USDA must assign licensed inspectors after receiving notice that management intends to hire the inspectors. An inspector must issue a citation for violations and notify USDA of violations. USDA must publish information on violations of this bill and disqualify a horse that is sore.

The bill prohibits a person in any horse show, exhibition, sale, or auction from causing or directing a horse to become sore for the purpose of showing, exhibiting, selling, or auctioning the horse.

The bill prohibits the use of specified devices on a Tennessee Walking, a Racking, or a Spotted Saddle horse at a show, exhibition, sale, or auction.

The bill increases the maximum criminal and civil liability penalties for certain violations. USDA may disqualify violators from specified activities related to horse shows, exhibitions, sales, and auctions.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 30, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 30, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.