

## HR 3458

### MICRO Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jul 27, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Sep 6, 2017)

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jul 27, 2017
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Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 5, 2018
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jun 1, 2018
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 6, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

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No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Jul 27, 2017)

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### Make Identifiable Criminal Rounds Obvious Act or the MICRO Act

This bill amends the federal criminal code to require that certain semiautomatic pistols manufactured, imported, or sold by federal firearms licensees be capable of microstamping ammunition. A pistol is capable of microstamping if it can copy certain characters identifying the make, model, and serial number of the firearm onto the cartridge case of the ammunition. This rule only applies to semiautomatic pistols manufactured or imported into the United States after the date of enactment of this bill.

The bill establishes fines for violation of the microstamping requirement.

It shall also be unlawful to alter the microstamping capability of a firearm that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce. Violators of this prohibition are subject to fines and suspension or revocation of any firearms license.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 6, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jul 27, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 27, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.