

## HR 3792

Animal Emergency Planning Act of 2017

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 5, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Animals

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Sep 14, 2017)

### Animal Emergency Planning Act of 2017

This bill amends the Animal Welfare Act to require research facilities, dealers, exhibitors, intermediate handlers, and carriers (covered persons) to develop, document, and follow a contingency plan to provide for the humane handling, treatment, transportation, housing, and care of their animals in the event of an emergency or disaster.

The plan must:

- identify situations that the covered person might experience that would trigger the need to implement the measures identified in the plan;
- outline tasks to be carried out in response to emergencies or disasters;
- establish a chain of command and identify the individuals responsible for fulfilling the tasks; and
- address how response and recovery will be handled in terms of materials, resources, and training needed.

Covered persons must review their plan at least annually, train personnel in their roles and responsibilities as outlined in the plan, and provide training when the plan changes.

## Actions Timeline

- **Oct 5, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.
- **Sep 14, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 14, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.