HR 3923

Dignity for Detained Immigrants Act of 2017

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Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Nov 2, 2018
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Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Dec 20, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 3, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 13, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3112	Related bill	**Jun 21, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Oct 3, 2017)

Dignity for Detained Immigrants Act of 2017

This bill directs the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to establish detention standards for each facility at which aliens in DHS custody are detained. Such standards shall provide for at least the level of detainee protections described in the American Bar Association's Civil Immigration Detention Standards.

A detained individual who is injured as a result of a violation of such standards may file a claim in U.S. district court.

The bill: (1) provides for facility oversight and transparency, (2) phases out the use of private detention facilities and jails for such aliens, and (3) revises procedures for detaining aliens.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 13, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Oct 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 3, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Homeland Security, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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