

HR 3942

Housing for Survivors of Sex Trafficking Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

Introduced: Oct 4, 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. (Oct 16, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Oct 4, 2017
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Oct 4, 2017
Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Love, Mia B. [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Dec 20, 2017
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Jan 29, 2018
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Feb 5, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 4, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 16, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 3863	Identical bill	Oct 13, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Summary (as of Oct 4, 2017)

Housing for Survivors of Sex Trafficking Act

This bill amends the Violence Against Women Act of 1994 to include sex trafficking victims as eligible participants in the transitional housing assistance grant program.

The bill permits a grant recipient to condition the receipt of benefits or the provision of housing on a program participant's involvement in certain activities, including confidential counseling and evaluations, as necessary to ensure the accurate placement of the victim in the program.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 16, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Oct 4, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 4, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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.