

HR 464

Cameras in the Courtroom Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet. (Feb 6, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]

Party: Democratic • **State:** VA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Feb 21, 2017

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 4504	Related bill	Nov 30, 2017: Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, House Administration, the Judiciary, Ethics, Ways and Means, and 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.
115 S 649	Identical bill	Mar 15, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1846)

Summary (as of Jan 12, 2017)

Cameras in the Courtroom Act

This bill requires the Supreme Court to permit television coverage of all open sessions of the Court unless it decides by majority vote that allowing such coverage in a particular case would violate the due process rights of any of the parties involved.

Actions Timeline

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