

HRES 493

Recognizing the dangers of distracted driving.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Jul 28, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit. (Jul 31, 2017)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-resolution/493>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Jul 28, 2017
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Nov 6, 2017
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Jan 5, 2018
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Sep 12, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 31, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Recognizes the dangers of distracted driving.

Expresses support for:

- efforts to educate the public about such dangers;
- AT&T's "It Can Wait" campaign to raise awareness of such dangers;
- industry-led engineering solutions to reduce fatal crash risks as a result of distracted driving;
- stronger enforcement of distracted driving laws; and
- the Road to Zero coalition and its efforts to encourage a holistic, safe system approach to improving roadway safety.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 31, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Jul 28, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 28, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.