

## HR 693

### Protecting Our Children Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Jan 24, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Jan 24, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/693>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 24, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jan 24, 2017)

### Protecting Our Children Act

This bill amends the Employee Polygraph Protection Act of 1988 to exempt from its prohibition against lie detector use the employers of prospective employees who care for or supervise or interact with unsupervised children on a frequent basis.

This bill requires such prospective employees to be given reasonable written notice of the date, time, and location of the polygraph test and of their right to consult with legal counsel or an employee representative before each phase of the test.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 24, 2017:** Introduced in House
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