

## HR 7326

### Effective Prosecution of Possession of Biological Toxins and Agents Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Dec 17, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Dec 17, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/7326>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Ratcliffe, John [R-TX-4]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 17, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 2	Identical bill	Dec 19, 2018: Held at the desk.

## Summary (as of Dec 17, 2018)

### Effective Prosecution of Possession of Biological Toxins and Agents Act of 2018

This bill revises the criminal prohibition on the shipment, transport, possession, or receipt of a biological agent or toxin by a restricted person. Specifically, it updates references to the lists of agents and toxins covered by the prohibition.

## Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 17, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.