HR 7395

To direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to allow delivery of medical supplies by unmanned aerial systems, and for other purposes.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)
Chamber: House
Policy Area: Health
Introduced: Dec 21, 2018
Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation. (Dec 24, 2018)
Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/7395

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]
Party: Republican • **State:** NC • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 21, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 21, 2018
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 24, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 21, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 21, 2018)

This bill prohibits the Department of Health and Human Services from blocking any program administered by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services or the Indian Health Service that reimburses medical providers for the use of unmanned aerial systems that deliver medical supplies. Additionally, the Federal Aviation Administration may not prohibit the operation of such systems beyond the line of sight.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 24, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Dec 21, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 21, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Ways and Means, and Natural Resources, 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.

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