

HR 810

Hadiya Pendleton and Nyasia Pryear-Yard Stop Illegal Trafficking in Firearms Act of 2017

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (25 total)

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Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Apr 26, 2017
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Oct 3, 2017
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Nov 1, 2017
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Apr 10, 2018
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Apr 24, 2018
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Apr 24, 2018
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Apr 24, 2018
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		May 21, 2018
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		May 21, 2018
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jun 14, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 2, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 1185	Related bill	May 18, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3043-3044)

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This bill amends the federal criminal code to establish stand-alone criminal offenses for trafficking in firearms and straw purchasing of firearms.

The bill expands the categories of prohibited persons (i.e., persons barred from receiving or possessing a firearm or ammunition) to include persons who intend: (1) to sell or transfer a firearm or ammunition to a prohibited person, (2) to sell or transfer a firearm to further a crime of violence or drug trafficking offense, or (3) to unlawfully export.

It increases the maximum prison term for the sale or transfer of a firearm to or the receipt or possession of a firearm by a prohibited person.

The bill revises the existing prohibition on transferring a firearm knowing that it will be used to commit a crime of violence or drug trafficking offense. It broadens the scope of the prohibition and increases the maximum prison term for a violator.

The bill also revises the existing prohibition on smuggling a firearm into the United States with the intent to unlawfully import or to promote a crime of violence or drug trafficking offense. It broadens the scope of the prohibition and increases the maximum prison term for a violator.

Finally, the bill makes it a crime to smuggle a firearm or ammunition out of the United States, or conspire or attempt to do so, with the intent to unlawfully export or to promote a crime of violence or drug trafficking offense.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 2, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Feb 1, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 1, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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