

HRES 90

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that gun violence is a public health issue and Congress should enact by the end of the 115th Congress comprehensive Federal legislation that protects the Second Amendment and keeps communities safe and healthy, including expanding enforceable background checks for all commercial gun sales, improving the mental health system in the United States, and making gun trafficking and straw purchasing a Federal crime.

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 10, 2017)

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Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Feb 3, 2017
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Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 6, 2017
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2017
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Mar 15, 2017
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Mar 24, 2017
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Mar 28, 2017
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Mar 29, 2017
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Apr 25, 2017
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Apr 25, 2017
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Apr 26, 2017
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Dec 11, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 10, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 3, 2017)

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that: (1) gun violence is a public health issue; and (2) Congress should expand enforceable background checks for all commercial gun sales, improve the mental health system, and make gun trafficking and straw purchasing a federal crime.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 8, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Feb 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 3, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.