

HR 4445

District of Columbia Home Rule Improvement Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 20, 2019
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 20, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill expands congressional authority to review and disapprove District of Columbia laws.

For example, it authorizes Congress to use resolutions of disapproval to disapprove specific provisions of District law. It also expands from 30 days to 60 days the time period for Congress to review laws of the District before the laws may take effect. Additionally, the bill revises the expedited parliamentary procedures available to Congress for the consideration of resolutions of disapproval.

Actions Timeline

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