

HR 4789

To allow Federal law enforcement officers to purchase retired service weapons, and for other purposes.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Nov 15, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Oct 28, 2019
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Oct 31, 2019
Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Nov 15, 2019
Rep. Stauber, Pete [R-MN-8]	R · MN		Nov 15, 2019
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Jan 27, 2020
Rep. Gianforte, Greg [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Mar 10, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 15, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3706	Related bill	May 13, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Oct 22, 2019)

This bill generally permits a federal law enforcement officer to purchase a retired handgun from the agency that issued a handgun to the officer.

The bill expresses the sense of Congress that amounts received from the sale of handguns should be used for federal gun safety programs.

Actions Timeline

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