

HR 5053

Justice for Juveniles Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Nov 12, 2019

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sep 22, 2020)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/5053>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]

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

Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Nov 12, 2019
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Nov 12, 2019
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Nov 12, 2019
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Nov 12, 2019
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Nov 13, 2019
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Nov 26, 2019
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Nov 26, 2019
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Nov 26, 2019
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Dec 12, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Feb 3, 2020
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 3, 2020
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2020
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Jun 18, 2020
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jun 18, 2020
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Sep 4, 2020
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Sep 4, 2020
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Sep 4, 2020
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Sep 14, 2020
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Sep 14, 2020
Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]	D · FL		Sep 14, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged from	Sep 8, 2020
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 21, 2020)

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This bill exempts juvenile prisoners (i.e., inmates who are under 22 years of age) from various requirements of the inmate grievance procedure, including the requirement to exhaust administrative remedies before filing a federal lawsuit regarding the condition of their confinement.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 22, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Ms. Scanlon moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4570-4571)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5053.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4570)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 18, 2020:** Reported by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 116-515.
- **Sep 18, 2020:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 415.
- **Sep 9, 2020:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 9, 2020:** Ordered to be Reported.
- **Sep 8, 2020:** Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security Discharged.
- **Dec 18, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Nov 12, 2019:** Introduced in House
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