

HR 5818

Truth in Buffalo Labeling Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 7, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Feb 7, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Feb 7, 2020
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Feb 27, 2020
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-3]	R · WV		Feb 27, 2020
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Mar 10, 2020
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Mar 12, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 2479	Related bill	Sep 16, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 7, 2020)

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This bill prohibits the sale of food that contains water buffalo and is labeled as *buffalo* unless the specific term used in the labeling is *water buffalo*.

Actions Timeline

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