

## HR 7895

Separation of Powers Restoration Act of 2020

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1927	Related bill	<b>May 3, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law.
116 S 909	Related bill	<b>Mar 27, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Separation of Powers Restoration Act of 2020**

This bill modifies the scope of judicial review of agency actions to authorize courts reviewing agency actions to decide de novo (i.e., without giving deference to the agency's interpretation) all relevant questions of law, including the interpretation of (1) constitutional and statutory provisions, and (2) rules made by agencies.

No law may exempt a civil action from the standard of review required by this bill except by specific reference to such provision.

## **Actions Timeline**

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