

HR 7904

Critical Infrastructure Employee Protection Act of 2020

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Jul 31, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials. (Aug 3, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 31, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 3, 2020
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3728	Identical bill	May 13, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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This bill requires the Department of Transportation to support state, local, tribal, and territorial jurisdictions in providing (1) priority COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) testing for essential critical infrastructure employees; and (2) priority access to personal protective equipment, sanitizers, face coverings, and health-related or protective supplies necessary to safely perform essential critical infrastructure work. (*Essential critical infrastructure employees* include, but are not limited to, medical and health care, telecommunications, information technology systems, defense, food and agriculture, transportation and logistics, energy, water and wastewater, law enforcement, and public works.)

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Aug 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Aug 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Aug 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Aug 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Jul 31, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 31, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.