

HR 806

Portable Fuel Container Safety Act of 2019

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]

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

Cosponsors (52 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2019
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Jan 29, 2019
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Jan 29, 2019
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 29, 2019
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jan 29, 2019
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Feb 4, 2019
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Feb 5, 2019
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Feb 7, 2019
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 13, 2019
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Feb 14, 2019
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Feb 14, 2019
Rep. Loebssack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		Feb 14, 2019
Del. San Nicolas, Michael F. Q. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Feb 19, 2019
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Feb 19, 2019
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Feb 25, 2019
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-50]	R · CA		Mar 8, 2019
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Mar 8, 2019
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		Mar 8, 2019
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Mar 13, 2019
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Mar 13, 2019
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Apr 29, 2019

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Apr 29, 2019
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		May 7, 2019
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 7, 2019
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		May 14, 2019
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2019
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jun 4, 2019
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 10, 2019
Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Jun 19, 2019
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jul 10, 2019
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jul 11, 2019
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Aug 6, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 18, 2019
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Jul 10, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1640	Related bill	Jun 23, 2020: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 482.

Summary (as of Sep 17, 2019)

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This bill directs the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) to require fuel containers to include devices that impede flames from entering the container. This requirement applies to flammable, liquid fuel containers of fewer than five gallons that are intended for transport. CPSC may either promulgate a rule or adopt an existing standard. Additionally, CPSC must educate consumers about dangers associated with using or storing such containers near an open flame or a source of ignition.

The bill also requires child resistant caps on kerosene and diesel fuel containers. Currently, this only applies to gasoline containers.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 18, 2019:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- **Sep 17, 2019:** Ms. Schakowsky moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 17, 2019:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7727-7729)
- **Sep 17, 2019:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 806.
- **Sep 17, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7727-7728)
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- **Sep 17, 2019:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 13, 2019:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 116-207.
- **Sep 13, 2019:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 164.
- **Jul 17, 2019:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 17, 2019:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 10, 2019:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 10, 2019:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **Jun 13, 2019:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jan 29, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.
- **Jan 28, 2019:** Introduced in House
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