

HR 8823

Banning Rubber Bullets Act of 2020

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Nov 27, 2020
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 27, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 27, 2020)

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This bill prohibits the use of nonlethal rounds (e.g., rubber or plastic bullets) by federal law enforcement officers for crowd control or in response to passive resistance and provides that an individual injured by the use of these rounds may bring a civil action. It also discourages the use of nonlethal rounds by state and local law enforcement officers by requiring similar prohibitions as a condition of receiving certain federal funding for crime prevention.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 27, 2020:** Introduced in House
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