

HR 8980

Nonviolent Drug Crime Expungement Act of 2020

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Dec 16, 2020

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Dec 16, 2020)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8980>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hall, Kwanza [D-GA-5]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 16, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 16, 2020)

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This bill establishes a process to expunge convictions and conduct sentencing review hearings for federal nonviolent offenses related to cannabis, cocaine, or crack. Further, the bill requires a state, in order to be eligible for Department of Justice grants, to have a substantially similar resentencing and expungement program for nonviolent offenses under state law.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 16, 2020:** Introduced in House
- Dec 16, 2020:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H7225)
- Dec 16, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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