

HR 1249

No Money Bail Act of 2021

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Sponsor

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		May 27, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

No Money Bail Act of 2021

This bill restricts the use of money bail (i.e., the payment of money as a condition of pretrial release) in criminal cases.

Specifically, it prohibits the use of money bail in federal criminal cases.

Additionally, it makes a state that uses a money bail system ineligible for funds under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Feb 23, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 23, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.