

HR 1278

Know Your Polling Place Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Mar 8, 2021
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Jun 30, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 24, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2747	Related bill	Oct 20, 2021: Motion by Senator Schumer to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the motion to proceed to S. 2747 was not invoked (Record Vote No. 420) entered in Senate.
117 HR 2358	Related bill	Oct 19, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
117 S 954	Related bill	Mar 24, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.
117 HR 1	Related bill	Mar 11, 2021: Received in the Senate.
117 HR 641	Related bill	Feb 1, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

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This bill establishes minimum requirements for notifying individuals of a change in their polling place for a federal election.

Specifically, the bill requires a state that changes an individual's polling place to notify the individual at least seven days before the federal election. However, if the change is made fewer than seven days before the federal election and the individual appears at the previously assigned polling place, the state must make every reasonable effort to enable the individual to vote.

Actions Timeline

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