

HR 1576

National Gun Violence Research Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (May 18, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]

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

Cosponsors (19 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Mar 10, 2021
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Mar 16, 2021
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Mar 16, 2021
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Apr 12, 2021
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Apr 12, 2021
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Apr 12, 2021
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Apr 13, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jul 16, 2021
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Jan 6, 2022
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		May 27, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2021
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 18, 2021
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 3, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 3, 2021)

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This bill promotes gun violence research, including by

- removing limitations on the use of firearms tracing data by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives;
- permitting funds made available to the Department of Health and Human Services to be used for gun violence research;
- establishing the National Gun Violence Research Program to promote gun violence research; and
- authorizing various competitive grants to support research into the nature, causes, consequences, and prevention of gun violence.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Mar 4, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 3, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 3, 2021:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E201-202)
- **Mar 3, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, and Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.