

HR 1657

Ending Debt Collection Harassment Act of 2021

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Mar 8, 2021
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Mar 8, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Mar 8, 2021
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 8, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2547	Related bill	May 17, 2021: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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This bill prohibits a debt collector from sending electronic communications to a consumer without the consumer's consent. The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) may not issue rules that allow a debt collector to send unlimited electronic communications. Additionally, the CFPB must report on consumer complaints about electronic communications and enforcement actions taken against debt collectors.

Actions Timeline

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