

## HR 172

### United States Anti-Doping Agency Reauthorization Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Sports and Recreation

**Introduced:** Jan 4, 2021

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Apr 15, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/172>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jan 4, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Jan 4, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 15, 2021
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 3, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Sports and Recreation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 2471	Related bill	Mar 15, 2022: Became Public Law No: 117-103.
117 S 585	Identical bill	Mar 3, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## **United States Anti-Doping Agency Reauthorization Act of 2021**

This bill authorizes appropriations for the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency (USADA) through FY2030.

The bill adds requirements that USADA

- be responsible for certifying in advance any testing conducted by international organizations under the World Anti-Doping Code for international amateur athletes and athletic competitions occurring within the jurisdiction of the United States; and
- promote a positive youth sport experience by using a portion of its funding to provide educational materials on sportsmanship, character building, and healthy performance for those participating in youth sports.

The bill requires any action taken by USADA to enforce a policy, procedure, or requirement against a person with respect to a violation of federal law, including an investigation, disciplinary action, sanction, or any other administrative action, to be carried out in a manner that provides due process protection.

The Department of Justice, the Department of Homeland Security, and the Food and Drug Administration must provide to USADA information relating to the prevention of the use of performance-enhancing drugs or the prohibition of performance-enhancing methods.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 15, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- **Apr 14, 2021:** Mr. Pallone moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Apr 14, 2021:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1748-1750)
- **Apr 14, 2021:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 172.
- **Apr 14, 2021:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Apr 14, 2021:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1781-1782)
- **Apr 14, 2021:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 381 - 37 (Roll no. 99). (text: CR H1748)
- **Apr 14, 2021:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 381 - 37 (Roll no. 99). (text: CR H1748)
- **Apr 14, 2021:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 2, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 4, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 4, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.