

## S 1768

HOPE for HOMES Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Energy

**Introduced:** May 20, 2021

**Current Status:** Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Hearings held.

**Latest Action:** Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Hearings held. (May 18, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/1768>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MD • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		May 20, 2021
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		May 20, 2021
Sen. Ossoff, Jon [D-GA]	D · GA		Sep 13, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	May 18, 2022
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 20, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3456	Identical bill	<b>May 21, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.

### Summary (as of May 20, 2021)

#### HOPE for HOMES Act of 2021

This bill provides support for energy efficiency upgrades in homes.

Specifically, the bill directs the Department of Energy (DOE) to establish a grant program that supports training on how to efficiently retrofit homes. In addition, DOE must establish a Home Energy Savings Retrofit Rebate Program to provide rebates for homeowners to invest in energy efficiency improvements.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 18, 2022:** Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Hearings held.
- **May 20, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 20, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.