

HR 2226

Remove the Stain Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services. (Mar 26, 2021)

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Sponsor

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

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| Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5] | D · MO | | Mar 26, 2021 |
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| Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1] | D · ME | | Apr 15, 2021 |
| Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3] | D · OR | | Apr 16, 2021 |
| Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36] | D · CA | | Apr 21, 2021 |
| Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3] | D · NM | | May 11, 2021 |
| Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4] | D · MD | | Jun 16, 2021 |
| Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1] | D · NM | | Jul 13, 2021 |
| Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5] | D · GA | | Jul 13, 2021 |
| Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2] | D · MA | | Jul 26, 2021 |
| Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2] | D · CT | | Oct 12, 2021 |
| Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17] | D · NY | | Jul 7, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Armed Services Committee | House | Referred To | Mar 26, 2021 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 S 1073 | Identical bill | Apr 12, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. |

Summary (as of Mar 26, 2021)

Remove the Stain Act

This bill rescinds each Medal of Honor awarded for acts that occurred on December 29, 1890, at Wounded Knee Creek, Lakota Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota.

The bill requires the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard to remove the names of those award recipients from the Medal of Honor Roll.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 26, 2021:** Introduced in House
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