

HR 2393

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

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Latest Action: Ordered to be Reported. (Apr 20, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]

Party: Republican • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Oct 21, 2022
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Nov 7, 2022
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Nov 7, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Markup By	Apr 20, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 977	Identical bill	Oct 18, 2022: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 542.

No Oil Producing and Exporting Cartels Act of 2021 or NOPEC

This bill prohibits a foreign state from engaging in collective action impacting the market, supply, price, or distribution of oil, natural gas, or any other petroleum product in the U.S. Specifically, a foreign state is prohibited from

- collective action that limits the production or distribution of such product,
- collective action to set or maintain the price of such product, or
- any other action that restrains trade of such product.

Specified defenses such as sovereign immunity (i.e., a foreign state's immunity from the jurisdiction of U.S. courts) and the act of state doctrine (i.e., the prohibition of a court invalidating an official act of a foreign sovereign performed within its own territory) shall not apply to a foreign state's violation of this bill.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 20, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 20, 2021:** Ordered to be Reported.
- **Apr 8, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 8, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.