

## S 2801

### SMART Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Sep 22, 2021

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 672.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 672. (Dec 19, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2801>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor                   | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK] | R · OK        |      | Sep 22, 2021 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee  | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate  | Reported By | Dec 19, 2022 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Dec 19, 2022)

#### Setting Manageable Analysis Requirements in Text Act of 2022 or the SMART Act of 2022

This bill requires agencies, when publishing a proposed or final major rule, to include a framework for assessing whether the rule achieves its regulatory objective. An agency must assess a rule in the time frame included in the framework. The assessment must compare the rule's anticipated and actual benefits and costs.

The bill defines a major rule as a rule likely to cause (1) an annual effect on the economy of \$100 million or more; (2) a major increase in costs or prices; or (3) significant adverse effects on competition, employment, investment, productivity, innovation, health, safety, the environment, or the ability of U.S.-based enterprises to compete with foreign-based enterprises.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 19, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Peters with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 117-273.
- **Dec 19, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 672.
- **Feb 2, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Sep 22, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 22, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.