

## HR 301

To amend title 36, United States Code, to establish the composition known as "Lift Every Voice and Sing" as the national hymn of the United States.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Arts, Culture, Religion

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged from	Apr 6, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jun 7, 2022)

This bill designates the composition consisting of the words and music known as *Lift Every Voice and Sing* as the national hymn of the United States.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 7, 2022:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 117-358.
- **Jun 7, 2022:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 81.
- **Apr 6, 2022:** Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties Discharged.
- **Apr 6, 2022:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 6, 2022:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 26 - 11.
- **Mar 5, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- **Jan 13, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 13, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.