

HR 3095

Fair and Open Skies Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]

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

Cosponsors (161 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		May 11, 2021
Rep. Bergman, Jack [R-MI-1]	R · MI		May 11, 2021
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		May 11, 2021
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		May 11, 2021
Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]	R · GA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		May 11, 2021
Rep. Kahele, Kaiali'i [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 11, 2021
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		May 11, 2021
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		May 28, 2021
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		May 28, 2021
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 28, 2021
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		May 28, 2021
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		May 28, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		May 28, 2021
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2021
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Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2021

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Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jun 16, 2021
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Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jul 2, 2021
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jul 2, 2021
Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-10]	R · OH		Jul 2, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Jul 26, 2021

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Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Aug 13, 2021
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Aug 13, 2021
Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Aug 13, 2021
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Aug 13, 2021
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Sep 27, 2021
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Sep 27, 2021
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Sep 27, 2021
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Sep 27, 2021
Rep. Zeldin, Lee M. [R-NY-1]	R · NY		Sep 27, 2021
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Nov 2, 2021
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Nov 9, 2021
Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]	D · TX		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Stauber, Pete [R-MN-8]	R · MN		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Ellzey, Jake [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Mar 17, 2022
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Apr 4, 2022

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Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Hollingsworth, Trey [R-IN-9]	R · IN		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Moolenaar, John R. [R-MI-4]	R · MI		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		May 12, 2022
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 12, 2022
Rep. Stanton, Greg [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		May 12, 2022
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		May 12, 2022
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 12, 2022
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Jul 21, 2022
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Jul 21, 2022
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jul 21, 2022
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Jul 21, 2022
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Sep 26, 2022
Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Sep 26, 2022
Rep. Brown, Shontel M. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Oct 18, 2022
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Oct 18, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Jul 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 20, 2022)

Fair and Open Skies Act

This bill prohibits the Department of Transportation (DOT) from issuing a foreign air carrier permit or an exemption from certain air carrier certificate requirements under the United States-European Union Air Transport Agreement of April 2007, unless DOT

- finds that issuing the permit or exemption would be consistent with Article 17 *bis* of the agreement, which provides that opportunities created by the agreement do not undermine labor standards or the labor-related rights and principles contained in the laws of the respective parties to the agreement; and
- imposes conditions on the permit or exemption necessary to ensure compliance with Article 17 *bis*.

The bill modifies policy considerations relating to air carrier certificates to require DOT to consider preventing entry into U.S. markets by flag of convenience carriers (i.e., foreign air carriers established in a country other than the home country of their majority owner in order to avoid regulations of the home country) and preventing the undermining of labor standards.

In carrying out such air carrier certificate requirements, DOT must consider preventing entry of flag of convenience carriers into U.S. markets as being in the public interest and consistent with public convenience and necessity for safety in air transportation and air commerce.

In formulating U.S. international air transportation policy relating to the elimination of discrimination and unfair competition, the Department of State and DOT must include in their considerations the undermining of labor standards.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 20, 2022:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H. Rept. 117-651.
- **Dec 20, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 470.
- **Jul 28, 2021:** Subcommittee on Aviation Discharged.
- **Jul 28, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 28, 2021:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **May 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 11, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.