

## HR 3191

COVID–19 Origin Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** May 13, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (May 14, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/3191>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]

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

### Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		May 13, 2021
Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]	R · NC		May 13, 2021
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		May 13, 2021
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		May 13, 2021
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		May 13, 2021
Rep. Green, Mark E. [R-TN-7]	R · TN		May 13, 2021
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		May 13, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		May 13, 2021
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		May 13, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		May 13, 2021
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		May 13, 2021
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		May 13, 2021
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		May 13, 2021
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		May 13, 2021
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		May 13, 2021
Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		May 19, 2021
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		May 19, 2021
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		May 19, 2021
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		May 19, 2021
Rep. Wenstrup, Brad R. [R-OH-2]	R · OH		May 19, 2021
Rep. Pfluger, August [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Taylor, Van [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Jul 29, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 14, 2021
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	May 13, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1867	Related bill	<b>May 28, 2021:</b> Held at the desk.
117 S 1348	Identical bill	<b>Apr 22, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

## Summary (as of May 13, 2021)

### COVID-19 Origin Act of 2021

This bill requires the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) to declassify all information relating to potential links between the Wuhan Institute of Virology and the origin of COVID-19. The ODNI shall submit to Congress an unclassified report containing such information, with redactions only as necessary to protect sources and methods.

### Actions Timeline

- **May 14, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 13, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 13, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.