

## HR 3319

### First Responders' Equipment Access Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** May 18, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change. (May 19, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/3319>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		May 18, 2021
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		May 18, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Jul 9, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 19, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4711	Related bill	<b>Aug 2, 2022:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

### Summary (as of May 18, 2021)

#### First Responders' Equipment Access Act

This bill requires the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to revise regulations that exempt certain engines and equipment from emission standards for national security purposes. For example, the bill directs the EPA to expand the regulations to include exemptions for engines or equipment intended to be used by governmental agencies for providing law enforcement, disaster relief, search and rescue, or emergency medical services.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 19, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change.
- **May 18, 2021:** Introduced in House
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