

HR 3494

Separation of Powers Restoration Act of 2021

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Fitzgerald, Scott [R-WI-5]

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

Cosponsors (27 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		May 25, 2021
Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]	R · CO		May 25, 2021
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		May 25, 2021
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		May 25, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		May 25, 2021
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		May 28, 2021
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Davidson, Warren [R-OH-8]	R · OH		May 28, 2021
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		May 28, 2021
Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-4]	R · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		May 28, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Mike [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Jun 1, 2021
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Jun 8, 2021
Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Jul 1, 2021
Rep. Good, Bob [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Jul 26, 2021
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Spartz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Jun 21, 2022
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Jun 21, 2022
Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Jun 22, 2022
Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Jul 11, 2022
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jul 19, 2022
Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]	R · OK		Aug 5, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill modifies the scope of judicial review of agency actions to authorize courts reviewing agency actions to decide *de novo* (i.e., without giving deference to the agency's interpretation) all relevant questions of law, including the interpretation of (1) constitutional and statutory provisions, and (2) rules made by agencies.

No law may exempt a civil action from the standard of review required by this bill except by specific reference to such provision.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law.
- **May 25, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 25, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.