

HR 3823

PISTOL Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Nov 1, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Good, Bob [R-VA-5]

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

Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Davidson, Warren [R-OH-8]	R · OH		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Fulcher, Russ [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Keller, Fred [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-4]	R · CA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Cloud, Michael [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Clyde, Andrew S. [R-GA-9]	R · GA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Oct 19, 2021
Rep. Meijer, Peter [R-MI-3]	R · MI		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Dec 6, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 11, 2021)

Protecting Individual Sovereignty Through Our Laws Act or the PISTOL Act

This bill modifies the definition of *rifle* for purposes of the National Firearms Act to exclude from such definition a pistol equipped with a rear brace or rear attachment designed to assist the shooter in controlling the pistol. The bill also directs the Department of Justice to amend applicable regulations governing pistols to provide that the presence or absence of rear mounted braces or attachments that can assist a user in controlling the pistol shall not cause a firearm to be considered a pistol.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jun 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 11, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.