

HR 3843

Merger Filing Fee Modernization Act of 2022

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]

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

Cosponsors (39 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Spatz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jun 14, 2021
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2021
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Jun 23, 2021
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Jul 2, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Aug 10, 2021
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Oct 8, 2021
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Oct 20, 2021
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Nov 30, 2021
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Dec 23, 2021
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jan 6, 2022
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jan 18, 2022
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Feb 1, 2022
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Feb 15, 2022
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-1]	R · IA		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Mar 16, 2022
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Apr 18, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 14, 2021
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 26, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HRES 1396	Related bill	Sep 28, 2022: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
117 S 2039	Related bill	Jun 14, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S4519-4520)
117 S 228	Identical bill	May 13, 2021: Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2022)

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This bill modifies and expands the schedule for graduated merger filing fees and requires that such fees be adjusted each year based on the Consumer Price Index. It also (1) requires parties to disclose in their premerger notification filings any subsidy received from a foreign entity of concern, (2) modifies the venue rules for multi-district antitrust litigation, and (3) establishes various reporting requirements.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 11, 2022:** Received in the Senate.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 1396. (consideration: CR H8252-8264, H8268-8269; text: CR H8252-8253)
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3843, H.R. 7780 and S. 3969. Resolution provides for one hour of general debate on each bill and one motion to recommit on H.R. 7780 and H.R. 3843 and a motion to commit S. 3969.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 3843.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At conclusion of debate on H.R. 3843, the Chair put the question on passage of the bill and by voice vote announced the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Jordan demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8252-8264)
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 242 - 184 (Roll no. 460).
- **Sep 29, 2022:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 242 - 184 (Roll no. 460). (text: CR H8252-8253)
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 1396 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3843, H.R. 7780 and S. 3969. Resolution provides for one hour of general debate on each bill and one motion to recommit on H.R. 7780 and H.R. 3843 and a motion to commit S. 3969.
- **Sep 26, 2022:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 117-493, Part I.
- **Sep 26, 2022:** Committee on Energy and Commerce discharged.
- **Sep 26, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 375.
- **Jun 24, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 24, 2021:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended).
- **Jun 23, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 14, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.
- **Jun 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 11, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.