HRES 403

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1629) to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to limitations on exclusive approval or licensure of orphan drugs, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 275) condemning the horrific shootings in Atlanta, Georgia, on March 16, 2021, and reaffirming the House of Representative's commitment to combating hate, bigotry, and violence against the Asian-American and Pacific Islander community; and for other purposes.

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]
Party: Democratic • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Reported Original Measure	May 17, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1510	Related bill	**Nov 23, 2021:** Became Public Law No: 117-64.
117 HR 2441	Related bill	**Jun 30, 2021:** Became Public Law No: 117-21.
117 HR 711	Related bill	**Jun 23, 2021:** Became Public Law No: 117-18.
117 HR 1629	Related bill	**May 20, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 144	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 204	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 210	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 240	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 1157	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
117 HR 1447	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 1711	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
117 HR 2027	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 HR 2167	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 2494	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 2533	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 2655	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
117 HR 2695	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 2704	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 2788	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 2878	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
117 HR 3008	Related bill	**May 19, 2021:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
117 HRES 275	Procedurally related	**May 19, 2021:** CHAIR ANNOUNCEMENT - The Chair announced a correction to Roll Call number 149 the yeas were 245 and the nays were 180.
117 HRES 398	Related bill	**May 18, 2021:** Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 403, H. Res. 398 is considered passed House. (consideration: CR H2481-2482; text: CR H2481-2482)
117 HR 2622	Related bill	**Apr 16, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

Summary (as of May 18, 2021)

This resolution sets forth the rule for consideration of H.R. 1629 (Fairness in Orphan Drug Exclusivity Act) and H. Res. 275 (condemning the acts of gun violence that led to the tragic loss of eight lives in Georgia on March 16, 2021). In addition, the resolution adopts H. Res. 398 (recognizing the forthcoming centennial of the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre and reaffirming the House of Representative's opposition to violence against Asian Americans).

The resolution also extends through July 1, 2021, the waiver of certain procedural requirements regarding journal approval, adjournment, suspension of the rules, and consideration of certain resolutions.

Finally, the resolution authorizes the Speaker of the House at any time through the legislative day of Thursday, May 20, 2021, to suspend the rules on multiple measures that were the object of a motion to suspend the rules on the legislative day of May 17, 2021, or May 18, 2021.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2021:** Considered as privileged matter. (consideration: CR H2473-2479)
- **May 18, 2021:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H. Res. 403.
- **May 18, 2021:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on H.Res. 403, the Chair put the question on ordering the previous question and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mrs. Fischbach demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings until later in the legislative day.
- **May 18, 2021:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H2480-2481)
- **May 18, 2021:** On ordering the previous question Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 217 - 209 (Roll no. 146). (consideration: CR H2480)
- **May 18, 2021:** Passed/agreed to in House: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 212 - 206 (Roll no. 147).(text: CR H2473)
- **May 18, 2021:** On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 212 - 206 (Roll no. 147). (text: CR H2473)
- **May 18, 2021:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 17, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 17, 2021:** The House Committee on Rules reported an original measure, H. Rept. 117-37, by Ms. Scanlon.
- **May 17, 2021:** The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 1629 under a closed rule and H. Res. 275 under a closed rule. The resolution provides for one hour of debate on both the bill and resolution. The rule provides that H. Res. 398 is hereby adopted. The rule provides at any time through the legislative day of Thursday, May 20, 2021, the Speaker may entertain motions offered by the Majority Leader or designee with respect to multiple measures that were object of motions to suspend the rules on the legislative days of May 17 or 18, 2021.
- **May 17, 2021:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 17.

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