

HR 4163

Even Playing Field Act

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Sponsor

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Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 24, 2021
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Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Jun 24, 2021
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Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jun 25, 2021
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Feb 18, 2022

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Sports and Recreation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2288	Related bill	Jun 24, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Summary (as of Jun 24, 2021)

Even Playing Field Act

This bill addresses pay equity for amateur athletes and other personnel. It allows recognition, or continued recognition, of a national governing body of an amateur sports organization only if it provides equal investment, promotional support, working conditions (including staff support and facilities and equipment for training and competition), and wages and other compensation to all amateur athletes, without discrimination based on sex.

National governing bodies must report periodically to Congress regarding pay equity.

Each report shall include (1) the median compensation for amateur athletes, coaches, trainers, managers, administrators, and officials, disaggregated by race, gender, and employment category; and (2) the minimum and maximum compensation paid to such personnel, disaggregated by race, gender, and employment category.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Jun 24, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 24, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.