

HR 4180

Keeping Pets and Families Together Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Animals

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture. (Jul 22, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 22, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 25, 2021)

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This bill requires the Department of Agriculture to establish a grant program to support animal shelters, pounds, or humane societies implanting microchips into dogs and cats in their care before allowing the animals to be adopted, returned to their owners, or sold to dealers.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 22, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.
- **Jun 25, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 25, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.