

S 4254

Disclosing Foreign Influence in Lobbying Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: May 18, 2022

Current Status: Held at the desk.

Latest Action: Held at the desk. (Sep 30, 2022)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/4254>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

Party: Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		May 18, 2022
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		May 18, 2022
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		May 18, 2022
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		May 18, 2022
Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE]	R · NE		May 18, 2022
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		May 18, 2022
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 15, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 20, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 8246	Identical bill	Nov 1, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2022)

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This bill requires registered lobbyists to disclose any foreign countries or political parties that are involved in the direction, planning, supervision, or control of the lobbyist's activities.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 30, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 30, 2022:** Received in the House.
- **Sep 30, 2022:** Held at the desk.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Sep 29, 2022:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6049-6050; text: CR S6050)
- **Sep 20, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Peters without amendment. With written report No. 117-150.
- **Sep 20, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 491.
- **May 25, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **May 18, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 18, 2022:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.