

HR 5397

National Civilian Medals Improvement Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, 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. (Sep 28, 2021)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 28, 2021
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2927	Identical bill	Oct 4, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Sep 28, 2021)

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This bill revises the requirements for awarding the National Medal of Science, the National Medal of Arts, and the National Technology and Innovation Medal and establishes a National Humanities Medal and a National Medal of Social Sciences. The bill prohibits such medals from being awarded to certain public officials or posthumously.

With respect to the National Medal of Arts, the President must award at least one award annually but not more than five in any calendar year.

Actions Timeline

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