

HR 5592

FREEDOM Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Oct 15, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform. (Oct 15, 2021)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5592>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]

Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36] | R · TX | | Oct 15, 2021 |
| Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26] | R · TX | | Oct 15, 2021 |
| Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2] | R · IA | | Oct 15, 2021 |
| Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7] | R · NC | | Nov 4, 2021 |
| Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19] | R · FL | | Dec 7, 2021 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|---|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Referred To | Oct 15, 2021 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Forbidding Repressive Executive Efforts and Denouncing Overreaching Mandates Act or the FREEDOM Act

This bill requires each executive agency to report on the effects of requiring its employees to be vaccinated against COVID-19 and certify whether such a requirement will adversely affect the ability of the agency to carry out its mission.

Specifically, such report shall include

- the estimated number of employees who do not intend to get vaccinated and would leave as a result,
- the effects on such agency's workforce and on its ability to carry out its mission,
- any agency plans to mitigate the loss of institutional knowledge, and
- estimates of how long the agency will take to fill the positions left vacant and the costs of filling such positions.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 15, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 15, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform.