

HR 5676

PREP Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Oct 22, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Nov 1, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Oct 22, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 2, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 3060	Identical bill	Oct 25, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Oct 22, 2021)

Promoting Reentry through Education in Prisons Act of 2021 or the PREP Act

This bill establishes, within the Bureau of Prisons, an Office of Prison Education. The office must provide educational services to incarcerated individuals in federal prisons and correctional institutions.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Nov 2, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **Oct 22, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 22, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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.