

HR 5680

SWEETER Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

Introduced: Oct 22, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management. (Nov 3, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

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Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Massie, Thomas [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Oct 22, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 3, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Saving Workers by Eliminating Economic Tampering and Ensuring Reliability Act or the SWEETER Act

This bill eliminates certain Department of Agriculture (USDA) sugar subsidy programs.

Specifically, the bill eliminates (1) the price support loan program available to processors of domestically grown sugarcane and sugar beets; (2) the sugar marketing allotments and tariff-rate quotas that limit the quantities of domestically produced sugar that processors may sell and the sugar that may be imported under lower tariff rates; and (3) the feedstock flexibility program for bioenergy producers, which operates to avoid loan forfeitures to the USDA's Commodity Credit Corporation by requiring USDA to purchase surplus sugar from domestic processors for resale to bioenergy producers.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 3, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management.
- **Oct 22, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 22, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

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