

## HR 6234

### FIX Clemency Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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**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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| Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]               | D · MN        |      | Aug 9, 2022  |

### Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
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| Judiciary Committee | House   | Referred to | Nov 1, 2022 |

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Dec 9, 2021)

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### Fair and Independent Experts in Clemency Act or the FIX Clemency Act

This bill establishes the independent U.S. Clemency Board, which shall review applications and recommend individuals for clemency directly to the President. It also abolishes the Office of the Pardon Attorney of the Department of Justice and transfers its functions, assets, and personnel to the board.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Dec 9, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 9, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.