

HR 6341

Protecting Horses from Soring Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Animals

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce. (Dec 24, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Rose, John W. [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Dec 23, 2021
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Jan 14, 2022
Rep. Comer, James [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Jan 14, 2022
Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Jan 14, 2022
Rep. Rogers, Harold [R-KY-5]	R · KY		Feb 9, 2022
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Green, Mark E. [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Jul 13, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 24, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4005	Related bill	Apr 5, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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This bill revises requirements concerning the inspection of horse shows, exhibitions, sales, and actions for sored horses (e.g., horses suffering from pain when moving due to substances or devices placed on their limbs). Specifically, this bill replaces a requirement for the Department of Agriculture to prescribe regulations governing the appointment of inspectors with a requirement for the Horse Industry Organization, which is established by this bill, to appoint inspectors.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 24, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.
- **Dec 23, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 23, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.