

HR 6557

Striking Workers Healthcare Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Mar 7, 2022
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Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		May 12, 2022
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Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		May 18, 2022
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		May 18, 2022
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		May 18, 2022
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		May 18, 2022
Rep. Brown, Shontel M. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Jun 3, 2022
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 15, 2022

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Aug 26, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 2, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4289	Related bill	May 24, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 3747	Related bill	Mar 3, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 2, 2022)

Striking Workers Healthcare Protection Act

This bill prohibits an employer from terminating or significantly altering the employer-provided health insurance coverage of an employee engaged in a lawful strike. An employer that violates this prohibition is subject to a maximum civil penalty of \$50,000 for each violation.

Actions Timeline

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