

HR 6914

SMALL GOVT Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 3, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 4, 2022)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/6914>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Rep. Cammack, Kat [R-FL-3] | R · FL | | Mar 3, 2022 |
| Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19] | R · FL | | Apr 11, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred To | Mar 3, 2022 |
| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 4, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Stopping Mandates And Limiting Large Government Overreach by Valuing Truth Act of 2022 or the SMALL GOVT Act of 2022

This bill prohibits discrimination against individuals on the basis of their COVID-19 vaccination status or natural immunity to the virus. It also sets out informed consent requirements for COVID-19 vaccines.

Specifically, the bill prohibits the use of federal funds to discriminate against (or induce discrimination against) an individual on the basis of COVID-19 vaccination status or natural immunity to the virus by, for example, restricting access to employment or health care.

The bill prohibits the use of federal funds to administer COVID-19 vaccines without a patient's informed consent. The informed consent must comply with applicable requirements for the state in which the vaccine is administered, and patients must confirm their consent in writing.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 3, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 3, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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.