

HR 6947

FREEDOM Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Mar 7, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit. (Mar 21, 2022)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/6947>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19]

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

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Ellzey, Jake [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Van Duyne, Beth [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2022
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Mar 9, 2022
Rep. Fallon, Pat [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Mar 9, 2022
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Mar 21, 2022
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Mar 21, 2022
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Apr 14, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 21, 2022
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2022
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 10, 2022
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2022
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 6960	Related bill	Mar 21, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.

Summary (as of Mar 7, 2022)

Freedom from Russian Energy Enterprise and Domestic Oil Maximization Act or the FREEDOM Act

This bill directs the President to prohibit imports of crude oil, petroleum, petroleum products, and liquified natural gas from Russia. It also (1) authorizes the construction and operation of the TransCanada Keystone Pipeline to import oil from Canada into the United States, and (2) nullifies the Executive Order titled *Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad* and signed January 27, 2021.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 21, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
- **Mar 10, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
- **Mar 7, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 7, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Agriculture, Energy and Commerce, Natural Resources, Foreign Affairs, Financial Services, Intelligence (Permanent Select), Armed Services, and Oversight and Reform, 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.