

## HR 7706

Judicial Ethics and Anti-Corruption Act of 2022

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Law

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet. (Nov 1, 2022)

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Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Dec 7, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	May 19, 2022
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	May 10, 2022
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	May 10, 2022
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	May 10, 2022
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	May 10, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 9623	Related bill	<b>Dec 20, 2022:</b> Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Reform, House Administration, Ways and Means, Financial Services, Intelligence (Permanent Select), Rules, Foreign Affairs, Armed Services, and the Budget, 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.
117 S 5315	Related bill	<b>Dec 20, 2022:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
117 S 4177	Identical bill	<b>May 10, 2022:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of May 10, 2022)

Judicial Ethics and Anti-Corruption Act of 2022

This bill makes various changes to the federal framework governing judicial ethics.

Among the changes, the bill

- prohibits federal judges and Supreme Court Justices from owning individual stocks and securities;
- requires the Judicial Conference of the United States to issue regulations restricting the solicitation or acceptance of gifts in connection with a private judicial seminar;
- expresses the sense of Congress that the Code of Conduct for U.S. Judges shall apply to Supreme Court Justices;
- requires federal judges and Supreme Court Justices to report on each association or interest that would require recusal, including any financial interest of a spouse or minor child who resides in the household; and
- establishes a committee to review complaints against the Supreme Court.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet.
- **May 19, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
- **May 10, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **May 10, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, Oversight and Reform, Rules, Financial Services, and Agriculture, 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.