

HR 7816

Respectful Treatment of Unborn Remains Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (May 18, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Ellzey, Jake [R-TX-6]	R · TX		May 24, 2022
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Jun 13, 2022
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Jul 20, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	May 18, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 18, 2022)

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This bill prohibits abortion providers from placing fetal remains into a publicly owned water system. Violators shall be subject to a fine, a prison term of up to five years, or both.

The bill also specifies that individuals on whom an abortion is performed shall not be liable for violations.

Actions Timeline

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