

HR 8274

PASS Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

Introduced: Jul 1, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, and Energy and Commerce, 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. (Jul 1, 2022)

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Sponsor

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

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| Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6] | R · MN | | Aug 30, 2022 |
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| Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22] | R · TX | | Sep 29, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 1, 2022 |
| Financial Services Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 1, 2022 |
| Foreign Affairs Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 1, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 S 4786 | Related bill | Aug 6, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. |

Summary (as of Jul 1, 2022)

Promoting Agriculture Safeguards and Security Act of 2022 or the PASS Act of 2022

This bill places the Secretary of Agriculture on the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS). Further, the bill requires CFIUS to review certain agriculture-related transactions, including those related to biotechnology.

The bill also prohibits persons who are acting on behalf of a prohibited country (i.e., China, Russia, Iran, or North Korea) from carrying out any merger, acquisition, or takeover that could result in foreign control of a U.S. agricultural company.

Actions Timeline

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