

HR 8994

Supporting Our First Responders Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 29, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services to award grants on a competitive basis to nongovernmental or governmental entities that provide medical transport and emergency medical services (EMS). Grant recipients may use funds to, for example, support the EMS workforce (e.g., by providing salaries and stipends or covering certification costs) and purchasing vehicles, personal protective equipment, and other resources.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 29, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.