

## HR 9337

### Ensuring America's Critical Infrastructure Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Nov 17, 2022

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Infrastructure Protection, and Innovation.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Infrastructure Protection, and Innovation. (Nov 18, 2022)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 18, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Nov 17, 2022)

### Ensuring America's Critical Infrastructure Act

This bill expands the definition of *critical infrastructure* under the Critical Infrastructure Protection Act of 2001 in the USA PATRIOT Act. The term currently means systems and assets, whether physical or virtual, so vital to the United States that the incapacity or destruction of such systems and assets would have a debilitating impact on security, national economic security, or national public health or safety.

The bill includes certain sectors as part of the existing definition, including communications, dams, emergency services, energy, financial services, food and agriculture, healthcare, information technology, transportation systems, and water and wastewater systems.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 18, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Infrastructure Protection, and Innovation.
- **Nov 17, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 17, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Homeland Security.