

HR 9541

SMART Copyright Act of 2023

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

Introduced: Dec 14, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Dec 14, 2022)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 14, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 3880	Related bill	Mar 17, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Dec 14, 2022)

Strengthening Measures to Advance Rights Technologies Copyright Act of 2023 or the SMART Copyright Act of 2023

This bill authorizes the Library of Congress to designate technical measures (i.e., measures that identify or protect copyrighted works) and requires providers of internet-related services to make reasonable efforts to employ and effectively implement the applicable designated technical measures. A copyright owner may sue and receive monetary damages from a service provider that fails to make such reasonable efforts.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 14, 2022:** Introduced in House
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