

## HRES 12

Establishing a Select Subcommittee on the Weaponization of the Federal Government as a select investigative subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Congress

**Introduced:** Jan 9, 2023

**Current Status:** UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Mr. Franklin, C. Scott asked unanimous consent that, notwithstanding section 1(a)

**Latest Action:** UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Mr. Franklin, C. Scott asked unanimous consent that, notwithstanding section 1(a)(2)(A) of House Resolution 12 (as amended by section 1(c) of House Resolution 78), and the order of the House of today, the Select Subcommittee on the Weaponization of the Federal Government be composed of not more than 21 Members, Delegates, or the Resident Commissioner appointed by the Speaker, of whom not more than 9 shall be appointed in consultation with the Minority Leader. Agreed to without objection. (Feb 1, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-resolution/12>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Jordan, Jim [R-OH-4]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Greene, Marjorie Taylor [R-GA-14]	R · GA		Jan 10, 2023
Rep. Spartz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jan 10, 2023

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 9, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Congress

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HRES 5	Related bill	<b>Jan 9, 2023:</b> Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

This resolution temporarily establishes in the House of Representatives the Select Subcommittee on the Weaponization of the Federal Government, which is comprised of not more than 13 Members appointed by the Speaker (5 of whom shall be appointed in consultation with the minority leader).

The subcommittee must investigate matters related to the collection, analysis, dissemination, and use of information on U.S. citizens by executive branch agencies, including whether such efforts are illegal, unconstitutional, or otherwise unethical. The subcommittee must make a final report of its findings by January 2, 2025, and terminates 30 days after filing that report.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 1, 2023:** UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Mr. Reschenthaler asked unanimous consent that, notwithstanding section 1(a)(2)(A) of House Resolution 12 (as amended by section 1(c) of House Resolution 78), the Select Subcommittee on the Weaponization of the Federal Government be composed of the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary, together with not more than 19 other Members, Delegates, or the Resident Commissioner appointed by the Speaker, of whom not more than 8 shall be appointed in consultation with the minority leader. Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 1, 2023:** UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Mr. Franklin, C. Scott asked unanimous consent that, notwithstanding section 1(a)(2)(A) of House Resolution 12 (as amended by section 1(c) of House Resolution 78), and the order of the House of today, the Select Subcommittee on the Weaponization of the Federal Government be composed of not more than 21 Members, Delegates, or the Resident Commissioner appointed by the Speaker, of whom not more than 9 shall be appointed in consultation with the Minority Leader. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 10, 2023:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 5. (consideration: CR H129-143)
- **Jan 10, 2023:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H. Res. 12.
- **Jan 10, 2023:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Jan 10, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on H. Res. 12, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the resolution and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. McGovern demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings on agreeing to the resolution until a time to be announced.
- **Jan 10, 2023:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H144-145)
- **Jan 10, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in House: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 221 - 211 (Roll no. 27). (text: CR H129-130)
- **Jan 10, 2023:** On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 221 - 211 (Roll no. 27). (text: CR H129-130)
- **Jan 10, 2023:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 9, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 9, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Rules.