

HR 1549

Criminalizing Abused Substance Templates Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Mar 10, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 17, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Mar 10, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Jeff [D-NC-14]	D · NC		May 24, 2023
Rep. Carey, Mike [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Sep 3, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 17, 2023
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 10, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 9258	Related bill	Aug 2, 2024: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.

Summary (as of Mar 10, 2023)

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This bill makes it a crime to knowingly possess a pill press mold with the intent to manufacture a counterfeit substance in schedule I or II of the Controlled Substances Act.

A violator is subject to criminal penalties—a prison term of not more than 20 years and a fine.

Actions Timeline

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