

HR 1771

Pregnancy Resource Center Defense Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 23, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-24]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Apr 6, 2023
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 23, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 23, 2023)

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This bill increases criminal penalties and authorizes additional civil remedies for intentionally damaging or destroying property that is a place of religious worship or a facility that exclusively provides abortion-alternative services. The bill also increases the mandatory minimum prison term for maliciously damaging or destroying, by means of fire or explosives, a building that is a place of religious worship or a facility that exclusively provides abortion-alternative services.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 23, 2023:** Introduced in House
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