

HR 1788

Goldie's Act

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Sponsor

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Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		May 5, 2023
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Rep. D'Esposito, Anthony [R-NY-4]	R · NY		May 10, 2023
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Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		May 22, 2023
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-9]	D · CA		May 23, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Jeff [D-NC-14]	D · NC		May 23, 2023
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		May 24, 2023
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		May 26, 2023
Rep. Gimenez, Carlos A. [R-FL-28]	R · FL		May 26, 2023
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Jun 6, 2023
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 6, 2023
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jun 7, 2023
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Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 20, 2023

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Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jun 21, 2023
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Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Jun 30, 2023
Rep. Magaziner, Seth [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jun 30, 2023
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Rep. Goldman, Daniel S. [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jul 28, 2023
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Jul 28, 2023
Rep. McGarvey, Morgan [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Aug 1, 2023
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Aug 4, 2023
Rep. Vasquez, Gabe [D-NM-2]	D · NM		Aug 4, 2023
Rep. Balint, Becca [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Aug 8, 2023
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Aug 8, 2023
Rep. Lawler, Michael [R-NY-17]	R · NY		Aug 25, 2023
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Aug 25, 2023
Del. Moylan, James C. [R-GU-At Large]	R · GU		Sep 5, 2023
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Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Sep 12, 2023
Rep. Scholten, Hillary J. [D-MI-3]	D · MI		Sep 12, 2023
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Sep 12, 2023
Rep. LaLota, Nick [R-NY-1]	R · NY		Sep 14, 2023
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Sep 22, 2023
Rep. Steel, Michelle [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Sep 22, 2023
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Sep 26, 2023
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Oct 3, 2023
Rep. Deluzio, Christopher R. [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Oct 3, 2023
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Oct 6, 2023
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Oct 10, 2023
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Oct 19, 2023
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Oct 24, 2023
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Nov 1, 2023
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Nov 1, 2023

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Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Nov 7, 2023
Rep. Caraveo, Yadira [D-CO-8]	D · CO		Dec 4, 2023
Rep. Gonzales, Tony [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Jan 16, 2024
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Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 22, 2024
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Rep. Perez, Marie Gluesenkamp [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Jan 29, 2024
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Rep. Kim, Young [R-CA-40]	R · CA		Jan 30, 2024
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI		Feb 5, 2024
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 13, 2024
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Feb 13, 2024
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-22]	R · CA		Feb 13, 2024
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2024
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-37]	D · TX		Feb 28, 2024
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Feb 28, 2024
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Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2024
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 29, 2024
Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Feb 29, 2024
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Mar 5, 2024
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-25]	D · CA		Mar 6, 2024
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Mar 15, 2024
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Apr 15, 2024
Rep. Lee, Summer L. [D-PA-12]	D · PA		May 16, 2024
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		May 23, 2024
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jun 25, 2024
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Jul 8, 2024
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Nov 1, 2024
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Dec 19, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 25, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill expands enforcement provisions under the Animal Welfare Act (AWA). Specifically, the bill directs the Department of Agriculture (USDA) to document and record detailed descriptions of violations of the act observed during inspections and investigations. USDA must provide a copy of all records documenting violations to state, local, and municipal animal control or law enforcement officials within 24 hours of such inspections or investigations.

Inspections must be held at least once a year of each research facility, the premises of each animal dealer, and each exhibitor of animals. If violations are found during inspections, then USDA must conduct any necessary follow-up inspections until all the violations are corrected. Inspectors must confiscate or destroy in a humane manner animals found to be suffering physical or psychological harm as a result of failure to comply with the AWA.

Violators are subject to civil penalties as outlined in the bill.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 25, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry.
- **Mar 24, 2023:** Introduced in House
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