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All-American Flag Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jun 14, 2023

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 118-74.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 118-74. (Jul 30, 2024)

Law: 118-74 (Enacted Jul 30, 2024)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-bill/1973>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]

Party: Democratic • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jun 14, 2023
Sen. Manchin, Joe, III [D-WV]	D · WV		Jun 14, 2023
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 14, 2023
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Jul 18, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 5, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 30, 2024)

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This bill prohibits agencies from using funds to procure a U.S. flag unless such flag has been manufactured in the United States from materials that have been U.S. grown, produced, or manufactured. The bill specifies exceptions to this prohibition, including an exception if flags of satisfactory quality and sufficient quantity cannot be procured as needed at market prices.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 30, 2024:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 30, 2024:** Became Public Law No: 118-74.
- **Jul 25, 2024:** Presented to President.
- **Jul 22, 2024:** Ms. Mace moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 22, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4716-4717)
- **Jul 22, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 1973.
- **Jul 22, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4716)
- **Jul 22, 2024:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4716)
- **Jul 22, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 6, 2023:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Nov 6, 2023:** Received in the House.
- **Nov 6, 2023:** Held at the desk.
- **Nov 2, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Nov 2, 2023:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Sep 5, 2023:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Peters with an amendment. With written report No. 118-94.
- **Sep 5, 2023:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 197.
- **Jul 26, 2023:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Jun 14, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 14, 2023:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.