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Trademark Licensing Protection Act of 2023

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

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This bill establishes that licensing a trademark or trademark registration for use by a related company does not contribute to establishing an employment relationship between the licensor and the licensee, nor does a licensor's exercise of control over how the licensed trademark is used.

Actions Timeline

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