

HR 2983

Fresh Start Act of 2023

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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. (Apr 27, 2023)

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Rep. Fry, Russell [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Jan 10, 2024
Rep. McGarvey, Morgan [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Oct 1, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 27, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Apr 27, 2023)

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### Fresh Start Act of 2023

This bill allows grants under the National Criminal History Improvement Program (NCHIP) to be used to implement a state law that provides for the automatic expungement or sealing of certain criminal records.

The NCHIP provides grants to state and tribal governments to enhance the quality, completeness, and accessibility of criminal history record information and ensure the implementation of effective background check systems.

## Actions Timeline

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