

HR 300

Settlement Agreement Information Database Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 7.

Latest Action: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 7.  
(Jan 26, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]

Party: Republican • State: AL • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Jan 11, 2023
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jan 11, 2023
Rep. Comer, James [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Jan 11, 2023
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jan 11, 2023
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Jan 11, 2023
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-50]	D · CA		Jan 11, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 11, 2023
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 11, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Settlement Agreement Information Database Act of 2023

This bill requires executive agencies to submit information regarding settlement agreements to a public database.

Specifically, an agency must submit information regarding any settlement agreement (including a consent decree) entered into by the agency related to an alleged violation of federal law. If an agency determines that information regarding an agreement must remain confidential to protect the public interest, the agency must publish an explanation of why the information is confidential.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 26, 2023:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 7.
- **Jan 25, 2023:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H264)
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Mr. Comer moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H262-265)
- **Jan 24, 2023:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 300.
- **Jan 24, 2023:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H266-267)
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 425 - 0 (Roll no. 33). (text: CR H262-263)
- **Jan 24, 2023:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 425 - 0 (Roll no. 33). (text: CR H262-263)
- **Jan 24, 2023:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 11, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 11, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.