

## HR 4020

Children Don't Belong on Tobacco Farms Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Jun 12, 2023)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 12, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 1921	Identical bill	<b>Jun 12, 2023:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## **Children Don't Belong on Tobacco Farms Act**

This bill prohibits an individual under the age of 18 from performing work that has direct contact with tobacco plants or dried tobacco leaves by specifying that the work is oppressive child labor. (Oppressive child labor is generally prohibited under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, with some exceptions.)

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 12, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 12, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.