

HR 4978

Agricultural Worker Justice Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Jul 27, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry. (Sep 26, 2023)

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Agriculture Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 26, 2023 |
| Committee on House Administration | House | Referred To | Jul 27, 2023 |
| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 27, 2023 |
| Financial Services Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 27, 2023 |
| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 27, 2023 |
| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Referred To | Jul 27, 2023 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|-------------|----------------|---|
| 118 S 3139 | Related bill | Dec 12, 2024: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 695. |
| 118 HR 4559 | Related bill | Aug 24, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry. |
| 118 S 2601 | Identical bill | Jul 27, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |
| 118 HR 2822 | Related bill | Apr 25, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture. |
| 118 S 1288 | Related bill | Apr 25, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |

Summary

No summary is currently available for this bill.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 26, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry.
- Jul 27, 2023: Introduced in House
- Jul 27, 2023: Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Financial Services, Oversight and Accountability, House Administration, and the Judiciary, 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.