

HR 5211

USPIS Surveillance Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]

Party: Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 15, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 15, 2023)

USPIS Surveillance Protection Act

This bill prohibits the use of federal funds to implement, conduct, or otherwise carry out the Internet Covert Operations Program (commonly referred to as iCOP) operated by the U.S. Postal Inspection Service or any other domestic surveillance program with targets that do not have an identified connection to the mail, postal crimes, or the security of Postal Service facilities or personnel, or with politically motivated targets.

Actions Timeline

- Aug 15, 2023:** Introduced in House
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