

HR 530

A-PLUS Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (28 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Baird, James R. [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Jan 26, 2023
Rep. Balderson, Troy [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Jan 26, 2023
Rep. Cloud, Michael [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Jan 26, 2023
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Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Feb 17, 2023
Rep. Vasquez, Gabe [D-NM-2]	D · NM		Mar 14, 2023
Rep. Duarte, John S. [R-CA-13]	R · CA		Mar 21, 2023
Rep. Crockett, Jasmine [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Apr 13, 2023
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Apr 20, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Apr 20, 2023
Rep. Caraveo, Yadira [D-CO-8]	D · CO		May 25, 2023
Rep. LaTurner, Jake [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 30, 2023
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Jul 18, 2023
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Sep 18, 2023
Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Sep 19, 2023
Rep. Sorenson, Eric [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Oct 18, 2023
Rep. Davis, Donald G. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Dec 12, 2023
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Dec 12, 2023
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Sep 6, 2024
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		Nov 1, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 13, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Amplifying Processing of Livestock in the United States Act or the A-PLUS Act

This bill directs the Department of Agriculture to revise its regulations to allow livestock market agencies (e.g., auction market owners) to hold an ownership interest in, finance, or participate in the management or operation of a meat packer with a cumulative slaughter capacity of (1) less than 2,000 animals per day or 700,000 animals per year for cattle and sheep, and (2) less than 10,000 animals per day or 3 million animals per year for hogs.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 13, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry.
- **Jan 27, 2023:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H471-472)
- **Jan 26, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 26, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.