

## HR 621

### PART Act

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Jan 30, 2023

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Innovation, Data, and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Innovation, Data, and Commerce. (Feb 10, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/621>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Baird, James R. [R-IN-4]

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

**Cosponsors** (83 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Jan 30, 2023
Rep. Feenstra, Randy [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Jan 30, 2023
Rep. Guest, Michael [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Jan 30, 2023
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jan 30, 2023
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Jan 31, 2023
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Miller, Max L. [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Feb 7, 2023
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Feb 8, 2023
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Feb 10, 2023
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Feb 14, 2023
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 17, 2023
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Feb 17, 2023
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Mar 3, 2023
Rep. D'Esposito, Anthony [R-NY-4]	R · NY		Mar 9, 2023
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Mar 9, 2023
Rep. Peltola, Mary Sattler [D-AK-At Large]	D · AK		Mar 9, 2023
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Mar 27, 2023
Rep. Finstad, Brad [R-MN-1]	R · MN		Apr 6, 2023
Rep. Balderson, Troy [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Apr 24, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Jeff [D-NC-14]	D · NC		Apr 24, 2023
Rep. Perez, Marie Gluesenkamp [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Apr 24, 2023
Rep. Bean, Aaron [R-FL-4]	R · FL		May 5, 2023
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		May 5, 2023
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		May 5, 2023
Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-1]	R · IA		May 5, 2023
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		May 16, 2023
Rep. Pettersen, Brittany [D-CO-7]	D · CO		May 16, 2023
Rep. Vasquez, Gabe [D-NM-2]	D · NM		May 16, 2023
Rep. Moskowitz, Jared [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jun 7, 2023
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-21]	D · CA		Jun 23, 2023
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Jun 23, 2023
Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jun 30, 2023
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Jul 14, 2023
Rep. Carey, Mike [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Jul 25, 2023
Rep. Gonzales, Tony [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Jul 25, 2023
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jul 25, 2023
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Jul 28, 2023

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Jul 28, 2023
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Jul 28, 2023
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Aug 1, 2023
Rep. Alford, Mark [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Aug 29, 2023
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Aug 29, 2023
Rep. Caraveo, Yadira [D-CO-8]	D · CO		Sep 14, 2023
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		Sep 14, 2023
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2023
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Sep 21, 2023
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2023
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Sep 21, 2023
Rep. Landsman, Greg [D-OH-1]	D · OH		Sep 21, 2023
Rep. Carl, Jerry L. [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Sep 29, 2023
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	D · CA		Sep 29, 2023
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Sep 29, 2023
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Oct 12, 2023
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Oct 12, 2023
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Oct 12, 2023
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Oct 12, 2023
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Oct 12, 2023
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Oct 20, 2023
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Oct 20, 2023
Rep. Magaziner, Seth [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Oct 20, 2023
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Oct 20, 2023
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Oct 20, 2023
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Nov 15, 2023
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Nov 15, 2023
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Nov 21, 2023
Rep. Kean, Thomas H. [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Dec 1, 2023
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Apr 23, 2024
Rep. Flood, Mike [R-NE-1]	R · NE		May 24, 2024
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		May 24, 2024
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jul 8, 2024
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-6]	D · MI		Aug 13, 2024
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Aug 27, 2024
Rep. Bentz, Cliff [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Sep 18, 2024
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Sep 18, 2024
Rep. Carson, André [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Sep 24, 2024
Rep. Sykes, Emilia Strong [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Sep 25, 2024
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Oct 1, 2024
Rep. Sorenson, Eric [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Oct 25, 2024
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Nov 20, 2024

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 10, 2023
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 30, 2023
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 1, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 154	Related bill	Jan 30, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## Summary (as of Jan 30, 2023)

### Preventing Auto Recycling Theft Act or the PART Act

This bill establishes requirements for motor vehicles related to catalytic converters and other motor vehicle parts that contain precious metals.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration must revise the motor vehicle theft prevention standard for new motor vehicles to include catalytic converters among the parts that require an inscribed or affixed identifying number. Additionally, the Department of Transportation must establish a grant program through which law enforcement agencies and other entities can stamp vehicle identification numbers onto catalytic converters of existing vehicles.

The bill establishes retention requirements for the purchase of motor vehicle parts that contain precious metals. It also sets forth criminal penalties for the theft of catalytic converters or any precious metals removed from a vehicle.

## Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Innovation, Data, and Commerce.
- **Feb 1, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Jan 30, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 30, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.