

HR 6493

Promoting Free and Fair Elections Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Latest Action: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 478. (Jul 8, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hageman, Harriet M. [R-WY-At Large]

Party: Republican • State: WY • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Nov 30, 2023
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Nov 30, 2023
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Dec 4, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Reported By	Jul 8, 2024
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Discharged From	Jul 8, 2024
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged From	Jul 8, 2024
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Discharged From	Jul 8, 2024
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Discharged From	Jul 8, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 4563	Text similarities	Jan 3, 2025: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 825.
118 HR 4494	Related bill	Jul 6, 2023: Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Oversight and Accountability, Science, Space, and Technology, Ways and Means, and Education and the Workforce, 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.
118 HR 4500	Related bill	Jul 6, 2023: Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Oversight and Accountability, Science, Space, and Technology, and Education and the Workforce, 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.

Summary (as of Jul 8, 2024)

Safeguarding Electoral Integrity Act of 2023

This bill prohibits federal agencies from using funds made available for salaries and expenses to solicit or enter into agreements with nongovernmental organizations to conduct voter registration or voter mobilization activities on the agency's property or website.

The bill also nullifies Executive Order 14019 (which established requirements for expanding access to voter registration and election information) and terminates any contracts entered into under specified provisions of the order.

Each agency must, within 30 days, submit a report to specified congressional committees that describes the voter registration and mobilization activities carried out by the agency pursuant to this executive order.

The bill also prohibits institutions of higher education that operate federal work-study programs from registering or mobilizing voters on or off campus.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 8, 2024:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on House Administration. H. Rept. 118-577, Part I.
- **Jul 8, 2024:** Committee on the Judiciary discharged.
- **Jul 8, 2024:** Committee on Oversight and Accountability discharged.
- **Jul 8, 2024:** Committee on Science, Space, and Technology discharged.
- **Jul 8, 2024:** Committee on Education and the Workforce discharged.
- **Jul 8, 2024:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 478.
- **Nov 30, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Nov 30, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 5 - 4.
- **Nov 29, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 29, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Oversight and Accountability, Science, Space, and Technology, and Education and the Workforce, 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.