

HR 916

Felony Murder for Deadly Fentanyl Distribution Act of 2023

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Feb 9, 2023

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Feb 9, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/916>

Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gonzales, Tony [R-TX-23]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

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| Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]           | R · CO        |      | Feb 9, 2023  |
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| Rep. Chavez-DeRemer, Lori [R-OR-5]    | R · OR        |      | Mar 17, 2023 |
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| Rep. Finstad, Brad [R-MN-1]           | R · MN        |      | Oct 11, 2023 |

Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Judiciary Committee | House   | Referred To | Feb 9, 2023 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

| Bill      | Relationship | Last Action                                                                    |
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| 118 S 380 | Related bill | <b>Feb 9, 2023:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. |

## **Felony Murder for Deadly Fentanyl Distribution Act of 2023**

This bill makes the distribution of fentanyl resulting in death a first degree murder.

An individual who is guilty of first degree murder by distributing fentanyl is subject to death or life in prison.

### **Actions Timeline**

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