

HR 274

Sunset Chevron Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 9, 2025
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 9, 2025
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 9, 2025)

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This bill requires the Government Accountability Office (GAO) to compile a list of, and sunset dates for, federal agency rules that were upheld under the administrative law doctrine of *Chevron* deference. (In *Loper Bright Enterprises v. Raimondo*, the Supreme Court overturned *Chevron v. Natural Resources Defense Council* and held that courts must exercise their independent judgment in deciding whether an agency has acted within its statutory authority. Under *Loper*, the courts may not defer to an agency interpretation of the law simply because a statute is ambiguous, as the *Chevron* doctrine required.)

Under the bill, the GAO list must include each federal court decision that (1) upheld a rule based on *Chevron* deference, (2) was not subsequently overturned, and (3) pertains to a rule that is in effect on the date of enactment of this bill. The list must also include a sunset date for each identified rule.

The sunset date for each agency's most recent rule on the list must be 30 days after the list is published. The sunset date for each prior rule of the agency must be 30 days after the sunset date of the rule preceding it on the list.

Further, rules identified on the list are subject to a joint resolution of disapproval under the Congressional Review Act without regard to the 60-legislative-day limit on the period for filing such a resolution after a rule has been received by Congress.

Actions Timeline

Government Reform, and Rules, 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.