

HR 4922

D. C. Criminal Reforms to Immediately Make Everyone Safe Act of 2025

Congress: 119 (2025–2027, Current)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Current Status: Received in the Senate.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate. (Sep 17, 2025)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clyde, Andrew S. [R-GA-9]	R · GA		Aug 26, 2025
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Sep 2, 2025
Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Sep 8, 2025
Rep. Fine, Randy [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Sep 8, 2025
Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Sep 9, 2025
Rep. Gill, Brandon [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Sep 15, 2025
Rep. Luna, Anna Paulina [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Sep 15, 2025
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Sep 15, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 10, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 HRES 707	Related bill	Mar 25, 2026: Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 1131, H.Res. 707 is amended.

DC Criminal Reforms to Immediately Make Everyone Safe Act or the DC CRIMES Act

This bill limits the authority of the District of Columbia (DC) government over its criminal sentencing laws.

The bill eliminates the DC government's authority to enact any act, resolution, or rule to change any criminal liability sentence in effect on the date of the bill's enactment.

The bill also (1) reduces the maximum age of a youth offender from 24 years to 18 years, and (2) repeals a provision that allows a DC criminal court to issue a sentence to a youth offender that is less than the mandatory minimum term otherwise required by law. A DC criminal court currently has the discretion to reduce or modify certain criminal sentences for a youth offender under specified circumstances. For example, a DC court may sentence a youth offender to probation in lieu of confinement. (However, this discretion does not apply to several specified violent crimes.)

Additionally, the bill directs the Office of the Attorney General for DC to publish, and update monthly, certain youth offender crime data on a publicly accessible website.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 17, 2025:** Received in the Senate.
- **Sep 16, 2025:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 707. (consideration: CR H4333)
- **Sep 16, 2025:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4922, H.R. 5143, H.R. 5140, H.R. 5125, H.R. 1047, H.R. 3015 and H.R. 3062. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4922, H.R. 5143, H.R. 5140, H.R. 5125, H.R. 1047, H.R. 3015, and H.R. 3062 under a closed rule, and provides for a motion to recommit on each measure.
- **Sep 16, 2025:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 4922.
- **Sep 16, 2025:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Sep 16, 2025:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate of H.R. 4922, the Chair put the question on passage of the bill and by voice vote announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Garcia (CA) demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Sep 16, 2025:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4345)
- **Sep 16, 2025:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 240 - 179 (Roll no. 270). (text: CR H4333)
- **Sep 16, 2025:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 240 - 179 (Roll no. 270). (text: CR H4333)
- **Sep 16, 2025:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 15, 2025:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 707 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4922, H.R. 5143, H.R. 5140, H.R. 5125, H.R. 1047, H.R. 3015 and H.R. 3062. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4922, H.R. 5143, H.R. 5140, H.R. 5125, H.R. 1047, H.R. 3015, and H.R. 3062 under a closed rule, and provides for a motion to recommit on each measure.
- **Sep 10, 2025:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Sep 10, 2025:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 26 - 19.
- **Aug 8, 2025:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 8, 2025:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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