

HR 973

Setting Consumer Standards for Lithium-Ion Batteries Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Langworthy, Nicholas A. [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Feb 4, 2025
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Rep. Latimer, George [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Feb 7, 2025
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Feb 7, 2025
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Goldman, Daniel S. [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Mullin, Kevin [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. McIver, LaMonica [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 12, 2025
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2025
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2025
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank" [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Feb 21, 2025
Rep. Lawler, Michael [R-NY-17]	R · NY		Feb 21, 2025
Rep. Ryan, Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 21, 2025
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Feb 21, 2025
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Friedman, Laura [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2025
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Mar 14, 2025
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Mar 26, 2025
Rep. Goldman, Craig [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Mar 31, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported By	Apr 24, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 S 389	Identical bill	Jul 29, 2025: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 133.
119 HR 1768	Related bill	Mar 3, 2025: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, the Budget, the Judiciary, and Education and 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 Feb 4, 2025)

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This bill requires the Consumer Product Safety Commission to issue a final consumer product safety rule for rechargeable lithium-ion batteries used in micromobility devices, such as electric bikes and electric scooters.

Specifically, the rule must require manufacturers and distributors of such products to comply with the applicable safety standards jointly established by the American National Standards Institute, the Standards Council of Canada, and UL Solutions Inc.

Actions Timeline

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