

NO LABELS

POLICING REFORM CHART

THE NO LABELS ANALYSIS OF DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN POLICE REFORM PROPOSALS

CATEGORY	GEORGE FLOYD JUSTICE IN POLICING BILL OF 2021 (DEMOCRATIC HOUSE BILL)	THE JUSTICE ACT (REPUBLICAN SENATE BILL)	BIPARTISAN POTENTIAL
USE OF MILITARY-GRADE EQUIPMENT	Limits transfer of military-style equipment to police depts.	No recommendations.	Senators of both parties have supported transfer limits of military equipment to local police.
USE OF CHOKE HOLDS	Bans chokeholds, carotid holds; classifies as civil rights violations.	Withholds federal funds from departments that do not ban chokeholds except when deadly force is authorized.	Possible agreement on a national chokehold ban except in life-threatening situations.
NO-KNOCK WARRANTS	Bans no-knock warrants in federal drug cases; bases local funding on same standard.	Encourages use of alternatives to no-knock warrants; withholds federal funds from departments that fail to report to Attorney General.	Possible emerging agreement on limiting no-knock warrants.
QUALIFIED IMMUNITY	Ends qualified immunity from lawsuits for police misconduct.	Shifts civil liability for officer misconduct to police departments.	Toughest issue in the talks; many of the proposals discussed lead to more problems.
INFORMATION REPORTING	Requires local police to report race, gender, ethnicity, on use of force against civilians.	Requires less information reported to the Attorney General	Unclear where this issue fits in current policing negotiations.