

HR 6368

Border Security Information Improvement Act of 2012

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Sep 10, 2012

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sep 20, 2012)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2012
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2012
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 20, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Border Security Information Improvement Act of 2012 - Directs the Attorney General and the Secretary of Homeland Security to study and jointly report to specified congressional committees on cross-border violence on the southwest border of the United States.

Requires such study to include: (1) the definition of cross-border violence used by law enforcement components within the Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Department of Homeland Security (DHS); (2) the ability of DOJ and DHS and their law enforcement components to track, investigate, quantify, and report on such violence; (3) the extent to which DOJ and DHS define and track cross-border violence and steps being taken to address the effects of such violence along that border; (4) the information and data on cross-border violence collected and made available through interagency task forces; and (5) the additional resources needed.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 20, 2012:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Sep 19, 2012:** Mr. Smith (TX) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 19, 2012:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6118-6119)
- **Sep 19, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6368.
- **Sep 19, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6118)
- **Sep 19, 2012:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6118)
- **Sep 19, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 19, 2012:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 10, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Homeland Security, 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.