

## HR 4640

Western Hemisphere Drug Policy Commission Act of 2014

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

**Introduced:** May 9, 2014

**Current Status:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.

**Latest Action:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent. (Jun 26, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/4640>

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	May 30, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

International Affairs

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 9, 2014)

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Western Hemisphere Drug Policy Commission Act of 2014 - Establishes the Western Hemisphere Drug Policy Commission, which shall: (1) conduct a comprehensive review of U.S. foreign policy in the Western Hemisphere to reduce the illicit drug supply and drug abuse and reduce the damage associated with illicit drug markets and trafficking, and (2) identify policy and program options to improve existing international and domestic counternarcotics policy.

Terminates the Commission 60 days after submission of its report.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 26, 2014:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 26, 2014:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 30, 2014:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 30, 2014:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **May 23, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere.
- **May 9, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **May 9, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E730)
- **May 9, 2014:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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