

## HR 4678

### United States Naval Station Guantanamo Bay Preservation Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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## Sponsor

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Rep. Salmon, Matt [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Mar 3, 2016
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Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Mar 7, 2016
Rep. Nunes, Devin [R-CA-22]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2016
Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8]	R · CA		Mar 15, 2016
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Mar 15, 2016
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Mar 16, 2016
Rep. Woodall, Rob [R-GA-7]	R · GA		Apr 11, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Reported By	Apr 15, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

### **United States Naval Station Guantanamo Bay Preservation Act**

(Sec. 3) This bill prohibits any action to modify, abrogate, or replace the stipulations, agreements, and commitments contained in the Guantanamo Lease Agreements, or to impair or abandon the jurisdiction and control of the United States over United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, unless specifically authorized or otherwise provided by:

- a statute enacted on or after the enactment of this Act;
- a treaty ratified with the advice and consent of the Senate on or after enactment of this Act; or
- a modification of the Treaty Between the United States of America and Cuba signed at Washington, DC, on May 29, 1934, that is ratified with the advice and consent of the Senate on or after enactment of this Act.

(Sec. 4) "Guantanamo Lease Agreements" means:

- the Agreement Between the United States of America and the Republic of Cuba for the Lease to the United States of Lands in Cuba for coaling and naval stations, signed by the President of the United States on February 23, 1903; and
- the Lease to the United States by the Government of Cuba of Certain Areas of Land and Water for Naval or Coaling Stations, signed by the President of the United States on October 2, 1903.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 15, 2016:** Reported by the Committee on Foreign Affairs. H. Rept. 114-496.
- **Apr 15, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 378.
- **Mar 16, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 16, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 3, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 3, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.