

## HR 4820

### Combating Terrorist Recruitment Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Mar 21, 2016

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Government

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Apr 27, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/4820>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]

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

### Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hurd, Will [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. McSally, Martha [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Ratcliffe, John [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Mar 22, 2016
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Mar 23, 2016
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Mar 23, 2016
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Apr 18, 2016
Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Apr 25, 2016
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Apr 25, 2016
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Apr 25, 2016
Rep. Fincher, Stephen Lee [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Apr 25, 2016
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Apr 25, 2016
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Apr 26, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 27, 2016
Homeland Security Committee	House	Reported By	Apr 26, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5471	Related bill	<b>Jun 20, 2016:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
114 S 3072	Related bill	<b>Jun 16, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

### Summary (as of Apr 26, 2016)

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(Sec. 2) This bill directs the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to incorporate the public statements of former violent extremists or their associates into its efforts to combat terrorist recruitment, including efforts to counter-message foreign terrorist organization communications and related community engagement and public education efforts.

Additionally, DHS must coordinate with federal agencies and, as appropriate, engage nongovernmental and international partners in the identification and use of such public statements.

It declares that nothing in this Act may be construed to require DHS to collect statements directly from former violent extremists or their associates.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 27, 2016:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Homeland Security. H. Rept. 114-525.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 405.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Mr. McCaul moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1961-1966)
- **Apr 26, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4820.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1987-1988)
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 322 - 79 (Roll no. 164).(text: CR H1961)
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- **Apr 26, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 23, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 23, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 21, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 21, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Homeland Security.