

## HR 5066

### United States-Israel Maritime Security Partnership Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		May 23, 2016
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		May 23, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 26, 2016
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 26, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **United States-Israel Maritime Security Partnership Act of 2016**

This bill authorizes the President to provide assistance to Israel to protect Israel's coastline and natural gas fields located in its exclusive economic zone.

Activities that may be supported by such assistance include:

- procurement and sustainment of the David's Sling Weapon System,
- payment of incremental expenses incurred by Israel resulting from participation in a bilateral or multilateral military exercise of the U.S. Navy or Coast Guard,
- conduct of increased U.S. naval vessel visits at Israeli ports, and
- conduct of joint research and development for advanced maritime domain awareness capabilities.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 26, 2016:** Introduced in House
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