

## HR 5391

### Gains in Global Nuclear Detection Architecture Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Jun 7, 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. (Sep 28, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/5391>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 28, 2016
Homeland Security Committee	House	Reported By	Jul 1, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 6381	Related bill	Dec 16, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The expanded summary of the House reported version is repeated here.)

### **Gains in Global Nuclear Detection Architecture Act**

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to require the Domestic Nuclear Detection Office, in conducting research and development to generate and improve technologies to detect and prevent the illicit entry, transport, assembly, or potential use within the United States of a nuclear explosive device or fissile or radiological material, to:

- develop and maintain documentation that provides information on how the Office's research investments align with gaps in the enhanced global nuclear detection architecture and with research challenges identified by the Director, and that defines in detail how the Office will address such research challenges;
- document the rational for prioritizing and selecting research topics; and
- develop a systematic approach for evaluating how the outcomes of the Office's individual research projects collectively contribute to addressing its research challenges.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 28, 2016:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Mr. Ratcliffe moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5952-5954)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5391.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5952)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5952)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 1, 2016:** Reported by the Committee on Homeland Security. H. Rept. 114-652.
- **Jul 1, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 504.
- **Jun 8, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 8, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 7, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 7, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Homeland Security.