

HR 5768

PFOS and PFOA Right to Know Act of 2016

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 11, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 13, 2016)

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This bill authorizes the Department of Defense (DOD) to enter into intergovernmental agreements to provide health screenings for conditions relating to perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS) and perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) exposure in communities near formerly used defense sites that have been identified by DOD as sources of PFOS and PFOA.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 11, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Jul 13, 2016:** Introduced in House
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