

## HR 6431

### Promoting Travel, Commerce, and National Security Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Dec 2, 2016

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**Law:** 114-316 (Enacted Dec 16, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/6431>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]

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

## Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Dec 2, 2016
Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]	R · NH		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Zinke, Ryan K. [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Dec 5, 2016
Rep. Curbelo, Carlos [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Dec 6, 2016
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Dec 6, 2016
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Dec 6, 2016
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Dec 6, 2016
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Dec 6, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 5, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3001	Related bill	May 26, 2016: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 501.
114 HR 4657	Related bill	Apr 1, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
114 S 2612	Related bill	Mar 1, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S1138)

## Summary (as of Dec 16, 2016)

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

## Promoting Travel, Commerce, and National Security Act of 2016

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the federal criminal code to allow the United States to prosecute certain U.S. employees who engage in conduct in Canada that would constitute a federal criminal offense if the conduct had occurred in the United States. This bill applies to a Department of Homeland Security or Department of Justice employee, contractor, or employee of a contractor who is stationed in Canada pursuant to a border security initiative.

## Actions Timeline

- **Dec 16, 2016:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 16, 2016:** Became Public Law No: 114-316.
- **Dec 15, 2016:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 12, 2016:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 10, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Voice Vote.(consideration: CR S7128-7131)
- **Dec 10, 2016:** Passed Senate without amendment by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S7128-7131)
- **Dec 8, 2016:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Dec 7, 2016:** Mr. Goodlatte moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Dec 7, 2016:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7340-7343)
- **Dec 7, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6431.
- **Dec 7, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7340-7341)
- **Dec 7, 2016:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7340-7341)
- **Dec 7, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 5, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Dec 2, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 2, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.