

S 1414

SHIPS Act

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Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Jul 11, 2017
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 22, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 2810	Related bill	Dec 12, 2017: Became Public Law No: 115-91.
115 HR 2994	Identical bill	Jul 17, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Seapower and Projection Forces.

Summary (as of Jun 22, 2017)

Securing the Homeland by Increasing our Power on the Seas Act or the SHIPS Act

This bill declares that it shall be the policy of the United States to have available, as soon as practicable, at least 355 battle force ships, comprised of the optimal mix of platforms, with funding subject to the annual authorization and appropriation of funds.

Actions Timeline

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