

HR 2213

Anti-Border Corruption Reauthorization Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. McSally, Martha [R-AZ-2]

Party: Republican • **State:** AZ • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Hurd, Will [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		May 15, 2017
Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19]	R · TX		May 16, 2017
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-15]	D · TX		May 16, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 8, 2017
Homeland Security Committee	House	Reported By	May 16, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6415	Related bill	Sep 19, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
115 S 3478	Related bill	Sep 18, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
115 HR 4760	Related bill	Jun 21, 2018: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
115 S 595	Related bill	Jul 24, 2017: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 179.
115 HRES 374	Procedurally related	Jun 7, 2017: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Summary (as of Jun 7, 2017)

Anti-Border Corruption Reauthorization Act of 2017

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Anti-Border Corruption Act of 2010 to expand the authority of the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) to waive the administration of polygraph examinations to civilian and military applicants for law enforcement positions in the CBP. This expanded waiver authority terminates five years after the enactment of this bill.

(Sec. 3) An individual who receives such a waiver is not exempt from other hiring requirements relating to suitability for employment and eligibility to hold a national security designated position.

Any individual who receives a waiver and holds a current Tier 4 (High Risk Public Trust) background investigation shall be subject to a Tier 5 (Critical Sensitive and Special Sensitive National Security) background investigation.

The CBP may administer a polygraph examination to an applicant or employee who receives a waiver if information is discovered prior to the completion of a background investigation that results in a determination that a polygraph examination is necessary to make a final determination regarding suitability for employment or continued employment.

The CBP shall provide Congress information on the number of waivers requested, granted, and denied, and the reasons for any such denial, and the final outcome of the application for employment at issue. Such information shall also include the number of instances a polygraph examination was administered, the result of any such examination, and the final outcome of the application for employment at issue.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 8, 2017:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Rule H. Res. 374 passed House.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 374. (consideration: CR H4676-4684)
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2213 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. A specified amendment is in order.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 2213.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** ORDER OF PROCEDURE - Mr. McCaul asked unanimous consent that the question of adopting the amendment to H.R. 2213 may be subject to postponement as though under clause 8 of rule 20. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 374, the House proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Lujan Grisham (NM) amendment.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of the debate on the Lujan Grisham amendment, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. McCaul requested the Yeas and Nays and pursuant to the order of the House of June 7, 2017 the Chair postponed further proceedings on the adoption of the Lujan Grisham amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4687-4688)
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by recorded vote: 282 - 137 (Roll no. 294). (text: CR H4676-4677)
- **Jun 7, 2017:** On passage Passed by recorded vote: 282 - 137 (Roll no. 294). (text: CR H4676-4677)
- **Jun 7, 2017:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 6, 2017:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 374 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2213 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. A specified amendment is in order.
- **May 16, 2017:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Homeland Security. H. Rept. 115-121.
- **May 16, 2017:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 74.
- **May 3, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 3, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 27, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 27, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Homeland Security.