

S 2314

Border and Port Security Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

Introduced: Jan 17, 2018

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Jan 17, 2018)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/2314>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Jan 17, 2018
Sen. Heitkamp, Heidi [D-ND]	D · ND		Jan 17, 2018
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Jan 17, 2018
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 14, 2018
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		May 24, 2018
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jul 25, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 17, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 4940	Related bill	Mar 8, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research.

Border and Port Security Act

This bill requires U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) to increase the number of field operations officers to specified levels. If the CBP does not adequately increase personnel, the Government Accountability Office must report on CBP hiring practices.

The CBP must report on infrastructure and equipment needed to prevent the illegal transportation of opioids and other drugs through U.S. ports of entry.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 17, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 17, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.