

HR 2560

Reef Assassin Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		May 19, 2017
Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Rooney, Francis [R-FL-19]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-27]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		May 19, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	May 30, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 200	Related bill	Jul 12, 2018: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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This bill directs the Department of Commerce to issue regulations under which a participating state may allow individuals to exchange 100 lionfish for one tag that authorizes recreational or commercial fishing for covered species. (Covered species are red snapper, gag grouper, triggerfish, and amberjack.)

Actions Timeline

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