

## HR 4551

### Intelligence Directors Lobbying Prevention Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Dec 5, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (Jan 22, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/4551>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Dec 5, 2017

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 5, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 5, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 22, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Dec 5, 2017)

### Intelligence Directors Lobbying Prevention Act

This bill amends the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938 to prohibit any individual who served as the head of any element of the intelligence community from acting as the agent of a foreign principal, including by engaging in lobbying activity on behalf of a foreign entity.

The Office of the Director of National Intelligence, in coordination with each element of the intelligence community, shall submit annual reports to Congress on the compliance of former heads of such elements with respect to such prohibition.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 22, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Dec 5, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 5, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Dec 5, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.