

S 474

A bill to condition assistance to the West Bank and Gaza on steps by the Palestinian Authority to end violence and terrorism against Israeli citizens.

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]

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

Cosponsors (19 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Feb 28, 2017
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 28, 2017
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Manchin, Joe, III [D-WV]	D · WV		May 18, 2017
Sen. Strange, Luther [R-AL]	R · AL		May 25, 2017
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Jun 22, 2017
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Jun 29, 2017
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Jul 24, 2017
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Jul 24, 2017
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Aug 3, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 28, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1164	Related bill	Dec 7, 2017: Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 278.
115 S 1697	Related bill	Sep 6, 2017: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 211.

Summary (as of Feb 28, 2017)

This bill prohibits certain assistance under the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 from being made available for the West Bank and Gaza unless the Department of State certifies that the Palestinian Authority: (1) is taking steps to end acts of violence against Israeli citizens perpetrated by individuals under its jurisdictional control; and (2) has terminated payments for acts of terrorism against Israeli citizens to any individual who has been convicted and imprisoned for such acts, to any individual who died committing such acts, and to family members of such an individual.

Actions Timeline

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