

## HR 5273

### Global Fragility and Violence Reduction Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

**Introduced:** Mar 14, 2018

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (Nov 28, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/5273>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]

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

### Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8]	R · CA		Mar 14, 2018
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Mar 14, 2018
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Mar 14, 2018
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Mar 14, 2018
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Mar 14, 2018
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Rooney, Francis [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Sep 25, 2018
Rep. Faso, John J. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Nov 27, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 27, 2018
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 28, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3368	Related bill	Aug 22, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

## Summary (as of Mar 14, 2018)

### Global Fragility and Violence Reduction Act of 2018

This bill directs the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) to: (1) establish the Global Initiative to Reduce Fragility and Violence, related to reducing and addressing the causes of violence, violent conflict, and fragility, with a focus on 10 pilot countries to be determined by USAID; and (2) develop and submit to Congress an initial interagency implementing strategy which shall include individual pilot country plans.

The bill provides for initiative and pilot plan updates.

The Government Accountability Office shall review U.S. government activities in each pilot country.

## Actions Timeline

- **Nov 28, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Nov 27, 2018:** Mr. Royce (CA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Nov 27, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H9587-9591)
- **Nov 27, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5273.
- **Nov 27, 2018:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Nov 27, 2018:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H9653-9654)
- **Nov 27, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 376 - 16 (Roll no. 421).(text: CR H9587-9589)
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- **Nov 27, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 27, 2018:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 27, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 27, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Sep 27, 2018:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.