

HR 5589

Examine Overseas Diplomatic Footprint Act of 2018

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 1631	Related bill	Sep 6, 2017: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 210.

Summary (as of Apr 24, 2018)

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This bill directs the Department of State, before initiating site selection for a diplomatic or consular post that is expected to employ 10 or fewer direct hire U.S. government employees for at least three years, to analyze options, including consolidation with other nearby posts.

The State Department shall complete a cost-benefit analysis for maintaining each such post for the prior three years.

Actions Timeline

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