

HR 5681

Global Engagement Center Authorities Act of 2018

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 7, 2018
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		May 8, 2018
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		May 8, 2018
Rep. Garrett, Thomas A., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		May 10, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	May 8, 2018
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	May 9, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5515	Related bill	Aug 13, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-232.

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This bill revises provisions relating to the Global Engagement Center and its role in countering foreign and non-state propaganda and disinformation efforts aimed at undermining the policies, security, or stability of the United States and its allies and partner states. It also modifies the center's grant program for assisting specified entities in countering such propaganda and disinformation efforts. The Department of State shall brief Congress at least annually on the activities of the center.

Actions Timeline

- **May 16, 2018:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H3989)
- **May 9, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 9, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **May 9, 2018:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 8, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities.
- **May 7, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **May 7, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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.