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Unexploded Ordnance Removal Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	May 18, 2018
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 18, 2018)

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This bill directs the Department of Defense (DOD) to develop a strategy for removing unexploded ordnance in Syria and Iraq that includes an assessment of areas of ordnance concentration, proximate schools, hospitals, or civil-service buildings and a time line for the strategy's implementation.

DOD may coordinate with foreign countries and multilateral institutions in developing and implementing the strategy.

Actions Timeline

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