

HR 5921

PFAS Registry Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. (May 23, 2018)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		May 22, 2018
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		May 23, 2018
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		May 23, 2018
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Oct 30, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	May 23, 2018
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 22, 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.
115 S 2719	Identical bill	Apr 19, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Summary (as of May 22, 2018)

PFAS Registry Act

This bill directs the Department of Veterans Affairs to establish a registry for current or past members of the U.S. Armed Forces who may have been exposed to per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances due to the environmental release of aqueous film-forming foam at a military installation or other Department of Defense location.

Actions Timeline

- **May 23, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **May 22, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **May 22, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Veterans' 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.
- **May 22, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.