

## HR 6429

### Protecting Access to Classified Information in Elections Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Jul 18, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on In

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. (Jul 18, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6429>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jul 18, 2018
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 18, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 18, 2018
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 18, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jul 18, 2018)

#### Protecting Access to Classified Information in Elections Act

This bill amends the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 to authorize certain candidates for President or Vice President to request a security clearance. Candidates must be the nominees of a major party or on the election ballot in at least 10 states to qualify. The federal government must expeditiously conduct background investigations and eligibility determinations for qualified candidates.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 18, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 18, 2018:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H6471)
- **Jul 18, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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.