

HR 870

REAL Space Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

Introduced: Feb 3, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Space.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Space. (Apr 25, 2017)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/870>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 3, 2017
Rep. Bridenstine, Jim [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Feb 14, 2017
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Mar 13, 2017
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Oct 12, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 25, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 3, 2017)

Reasserting American Leadership in Space Act or the REAL Space Act

This bill directs the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to plan to return to the Moon by 2023 and to develop a sustained human presence there in order to promote exploration, commerce, science, and U.S. preeminence in space as a stepping stone for future exploration of Mars and other destinations.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 25, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Space.
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