

HR 1493

Cyber Deterrence and Response Act of 2019

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Ratcliffe, John [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2019
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Sep 24, 2019
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Oct 28, 2019
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Dec 10, 2019
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 4, 2019
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 4, 2019
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 8, 2019
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 4, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 602	Related bill	Feb 28, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Summary (as of Mar 4, 2019)

Cyber Deterrence and Response Act of 2019

This bill directs the President to identify and impose sanctions on foreign persons and state-affiliated entities that engaged in or supported cyber activities that reasonably likely contributed to a significant threat to U.S. national security, foreign policy, or financial health. Within seven days of identifying such a person or entity, the President shall report the identification to Congress.

Identified individuals shall be barred from entering the United States and shall have current visas revoked. With respect to foreign persons and state-affiliated entities, the President shall impose one or more of specified sanctions, such as (1) prohibiting a U.S. person from making investments that would benefit an identified foreign person; (2) suspending security assistance to a foreign state, in the case of a state-affiliated entity; and (3) directing U.S. representatives to international financial institutions to oppose any loan that would benefit an identified foreign person or entity.

The President may impose additional sanctions on foreign states that are affiliated with an identified entity, such as the withdrawal of security assistance or the imposition of prohibitions on arms shipments.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Mar 4, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 4, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Oversight and Reform, and the Judiciary, 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.