

HR 1579

National POW/MIA Flag Act

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Rep. Graves, Tom [R-GA-14]	R · GA		Sep 19, 2019
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Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Sep 19, 2019
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Rep. Comer, James [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Feb 28, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 8, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 693	Identical bill	Nov 7, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-67.

Summary (as of Mar 7, 2019)

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The bill changes the days on which the POW/MIA flag is required to be displayed at specified locations to all days on which the U.S. flag is displayed. (Current law requires the POW/MIA flag to be displayed only on Armed Forces Day, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Independence Day, National POW/MIA Recognition Day, and Veterans Day.)

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- **Mar 7, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 7, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.