

HR 2245

CECIL Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Animals

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Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Sep 17, 2019
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Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Sep 26, 2019
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Sep 26, 2019
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 4, 2019
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Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Oct 11, 2019
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Oct 11, 2019

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Rep. Shalala, Donna E. [D-FL-27]	D · FL		Oct 11, 2019
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Oct 11, 2019
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Oct 15, 2019
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Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Nov 8, 2019
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Feb 11, 2020
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Apr 23, 2020
Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		Sep 30, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Discharged From	Dec 22, 2020
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Sep 18, 2019
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 10, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 21, 2020)

Conserving Ecosystems by Ceasing the Importation of Large Animal Trophies Act or the CECIL Act

This bill addresses international wildlife conservation efforts and trophy hunting.

Specifically, this bill restricts the importation of a sport-hunted trophy of a threatened species or endangered species.

In addition, the bill abolishes the International Wildlife Conservation Council of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Finally, the Government Accountability Office must study the effectiveness of trophy hunting in supporting international wildlife conservation efforts.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 21, 2020:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 116-680, Part I.
- **Dec 21, 2020:** Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged.
- **Dec 21, 2020:** Committee on Ways and Means discharged.
- **Dec 21, 2020:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 563.
- **Sep 18, 2019:** Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife Discharged.
- **Sep 18, 2019:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 18, 2019:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 19 - 16.
- **Jul 18, 2019:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Apr 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 10, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, and Ways and Means, 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.
- **Apr 10, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.