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U.S.-Israel Cybersecurity Center of Excellence Act

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 2309	Related bill	Jul 29, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
116 HR 1837	Related bill	Jul 24, 2019: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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This bill directs the Department of State to report to Congress on the potential benefits and impact of establishing a U.S.-Israel Cybersecurity Center of Excellence to leverage the expertise of government, higher education, and private-sector entities in cybersecurity and the protection of critical infrastructure.

Actions Timeline

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