

## HR 3227

### SEA FUEL Act of 2019

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Jun 12, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Readiness.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Readiness. (Jun 13, 2019)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** VA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Jun 12, 2019
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Jun 12, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 13, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2500	Related bill	Aug 11, 2020: Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 512.
116 S 1790	Related bill	Dec 20, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-92.
116 S 1679	Related bill	May 23, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

## **Securing Energy for our Armed Forces Using Engineering Leadership Act of 2019 or the SEA FUEL Act of 2019**

This bill directs the Department of Defense to carry out a program of research, development, testing, evaluation, study, and demonstration of technologies related to blue carbon capture and direct air capture, with the goals of developing technologies to turn carbon dioxide into clean fuels, creating products for military uses, and using the technologies at military facilities and in military transportation. The bill defines "blue carbon capture" as the removal of dissolved carbon dioxide from seawater through engineered or inorganic processes and "direct air capture" as the use of equipment to capture carbon dioxide directly from the air.

### **Actions Timeline**

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