

## HR 3331

Countering Hizballah in Lebanon's Military Act of 2019

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Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Nov 22, 2019
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Dec 4, 2019
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Sep 1, 2020
Rep. Pence, Greg [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Nov 18, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Jul 29, 2020

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2500	Related bill	<b>Aug 11, 2020:</b> Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 512.
116 S 1790	Related bill	<b>Dec 20, 2019:</b> Became Public Law No: 116-92.
116 S 1886	Related bill	<b>Jun 18, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

### Summary (as of Jun 18, 2019)

#### Countering Hizbollah in Lebanon's Military Act of 2019

This bill limits the use of security assistance funds for Lebanon until certain conditions are met. Specifically, 20% of funds appropriated or made available for such security assistance may not be obligated or expended until the President certifies to Congress that (1) the Lebanese Armed Forces have taken measurable steps to limit or expel Hezbollah-influenced military personnel that have significant influence over the Lebanese Armed Forces' policies or activities, (2) activities of the Lebanese Armed Forces to disarm Hezbollah demonstrate a serious commitment to fulfill United Nations Security Council Resolution 1701 calling for such disarmament, and (3) the Lebanese Armed Forces have not cooperated or partnered with Hezbollah during the last year.

The President may waive the first two requirements if it is in U.S. national security interest to do so.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jul 29, 2020:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 29, 2020:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 18, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 18, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.