

## HJRES 37

Directing the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized by Congress.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Reported By	Feb 8, 2019
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 14, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2740	Related bill	Oct 31, 2019: Motion by Senator McConnell to reconsider the vote by which the third cloture on the motion to proceed to H.R. 2740 was not invoked (Record Vote No. 342) entered in Senate.
116 HR 2968	Related bill	May 23, 2019: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 59.
116 SJRES 7	Related bill	May 2, 2019: Failed of passage in Senate over veto by Yea-Nay Vote. 53 - 45. Record Vote Number: 94.
116 HRES 122	Procedurally related	Feb 13, 2019: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

## Summary (as of Feb 13, 2019)

This joint resolution directs the President to remove U.S. Armed Forces from hostilities in or affecting Yemen within 30 days unless Congress authorizes a later withdrawal date, issues a declaration of war, or specifically authorizes the use of the Armed Forces. Prohibited activities include providing in-flight fueling for non-U.S. aircraft conducting missions as part of the conflict in Yemen. This joint resolution shall not affect any military operations directed at Al Qaeda.

The President must submit to Congress, within 90 days, reports assessing the risks that would be posed (1) if the United States were to cease supporting operations with respect to the conflict in Yemen, and (2) if Saudi Arabia were to cease sharing Yemen-related intelligence with the United States.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 14, 2019:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Rule H. Res. 122 passed House.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 122. (consideration: CR H1543-1556; text: CR H1552)
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Rule provides for consideration of H.J. Res. 37 with 1 hour of general debate. Motion to recommit with or without instructions allowed. A specified amendment is in order. The resolution provides through February 17, 2019, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union pursuant to H. Res. 122 and Rule XVIII.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The Speaker designated the Honorable Stacey E. Plaskett to act as Chairwoman of the Committee.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** GENERAL DEBATE - The Committee of the Whole proceeded with one hour of general debate on H.J. Res. 37.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 122, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Buck amendment No. 2
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The House rose from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union to report H.J. Res. 37.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The House adopted the amendment in the nature of a substitute as agreed to by the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Mr. Kustoff (TN) moved to recommit with instructions to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. (text: CR H1554)
- **Feb 13, 2019:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Kustoff (TN) motion to recommit with instructions. The instructions contained in the motion seek to require the bill to be reported back to the House with an amendment to state that it is in the national security interest of the United States to combat anti-Semitism around the world.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The previous question on the motion to recommit with instructions was ordered without objection.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** On motion to recommit with instructions Agreed to by recorded vote: 424 - 0, 2 Present (Roll no. 82).
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 248 - 177, 1 Present (Roll no. 83).
- **Feb 13, 2019:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 248 - 177, 1 Present (Roll no. 83).
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross references, and to make other necessary technical and conforming corrections in the engrossment of H.J. Res. 37.
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 122 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.J. Res. 37 with 1 hour of general debate. Motion to recommit with or without instructions allowed. A specified amendment is in order. The resolution provides through February 17, 2019, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Reported by the Committee on Foreign Affairs. H. Rept. 116-7.
- **Feb 8, 2019:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 2.
- **Feb 6, 2019:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 25 - 17.
- **Feb 6, 2019:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jan 30, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 30, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.