

HR 417

To amend title 18, United States Code, to establish measures to combat invasive lionfish, and for other purposes.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Jan 9, 2019

Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (May 8, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jan 9, 2019
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Jan 9, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 9, 2019
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	May 8, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 9, 2019)

This bill adds various lionfish species to the list of injurious wildlife prohibited from being imported into the United States or transported between states.

Actions Timeline

- **May 8, 2019:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 5, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Jan 9, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 9, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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.
- **Jan 9, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.