

## HR 5436

To amend the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018, with respect to enforcement of animal fighting ventures prohibition in the territories, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Animals

**Introduced:** Dec 16, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture. (Jan 13, 2020)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** PR • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 13, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Animals

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Dec 16, 2019)

This bill delays the implementation of a ban on sponsoring or exhibiting live birds in fighting ventures (e.g., cockfights) in states and U.S. territories and possessions that do not ban such fights. In addition, the Department of Agriculture must analyze the impacts of the ban on U.S. territories and possessions.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 13, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Foreign Agriculture.
- **Dec 16, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 16, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.