

## HR 5671

### Merchant Mariners of World War II Congressional Gold Medal Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jan 24, 2020

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 116-125.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 116-125. (Mar 13, 2020)

**Law:** 116-125 (Enacted Mar 13, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/5671>

#### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]

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

#### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jan 27, 2020
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Jan 27, 2020

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Mar 2, 2020
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 24, 2020

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

##### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

#### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 550	Related bill	Jan 30, 2020: Message on House action received in Senate and at desk: House amendments to Senate amendment.
116 S 133	Related bill	Jan 15, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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This bill provides for a Congressional Gold Medal to be awarded to the U.S. Merchant Mariners of World War II, in recognition of their service during World War II.

Following the award of the medal, it shall be given to the American Merchant Marine Museum, where it shall be available for display and research.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 13, 2020:** Signed by President.
- **Mar 13, 2020:** Became Public Law No: 116-125.
- **Mar 9, 2020:** Presented to President.
- **Mar 3, 2020:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Mar 2, 2020:** Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 2, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 2, 2020:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S1269)
- **Jan 28, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
- **Jan 27, 2020:** Mr. San Nicolas moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jan 27, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H547-549)
- **Jan 27, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5671.
- **Jan 27, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H547-548)
- **Jan 27, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H547-548)
- **Jan 27, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 24, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 24, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.