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United States-Israel Military Capability Act of 2020

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2020
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2020
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2020

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Related Bills

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116 S 3775	Identical bill	May 20, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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This bill requires the Department of Defense, with the concurrence of the Israeli Ministry of Defense, to establish a United States-Israel Operations-Technology Working Group.

The purposes of the working group shall be to (1) provide a standing forum for the United States and Israel to identify and share intelligence-informed military capability requirements; (2) assist defense suppliers in both countries to gain government approval for conducting joint science, technology, research, development, test, evaluation, and production efforts; and (3) develop combined U.S.-Israel plans to research, develop, procure, and field weapons systems and military capabilities to meet common capability requirements.

Actions Timeline

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