

HR 7954

Tropical Forest and Coral Reef Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2020

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Aug 7, 2020

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (Nov 30, 2020)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/7954>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Aug 7, 2020
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Sep 23, 2020
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Sep 23, 2020
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Sep 23, 2020
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Sep 23, 2020
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Sep 30, 2020
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Sep 30, 2020
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Oct 27, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Oct 1, 2020
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 30, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4428	Identical bill	Aug 4, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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This bill extends through FY2025 authority for debt-for-nature swaps and debt buyback programs that reduce or convert debt obligations from eligible countries to the United States into funding for nature conservation and protection efforts in that country.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 30, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Nov 18, 2020:** Mr. Espaillat moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Nov 18, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5922-5923)
- **Nov 18, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 7954.
- **Nov 18, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5922)
- **Nov 18, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5922)
- **Nov 18, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Oct 1, 2020:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Oct 1, 2020:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Aug 7, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 7, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.