

HR 8248

Diversity in Military Leadership Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services. (Sep 14, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]

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

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| Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20] | D · TX | | Sep 14, 2020 |
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| Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34] | D · TX | | Sep 14, 2020 |
| Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30] | D · CA | | Nov 18, 2020 |

Committee Activity

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| Armed Services Committee | House | Referred To | Sep 14, 2020 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 14, 2020)

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This bill authorizes the Department of Defense (DOD) to award competitive grants to increase the participation of women and underrepresented minorities in military and civilian leadership positions of DOD.

Actions Timeline

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