

HR 8346

Academic Research Protection Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Service

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, Intelligence (Permanent Select), Foreign Affairs, and the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Sep 22, 2020)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 22, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 22, 2020)

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This bill directs certain federal agencies to take specified steps to protect federally funded academic research from foreign threats, establishes the National Commission on Academic Research Protection, and requires information sharing with institutions of higher education related to foreign threats.

Actions Timeline

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