

HR 8931

Stop the Killing in Syria Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1193) (Dec 21, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|------------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Financial Services Committee | House | Referred To | Dec 10, 2020 |
| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred To | Dec 10, 2020 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Dec 10, 2020 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 10, 2020)

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This bill requires the President to impose visa- and property-blocking sanctions against specified persons that assist or support Syria in malign activities and crimes against its own people, and it requires the Department of State to submit a strategy for removing the al-Assad regime from power and achieving a transition to a free and democratic Syria. Further, the bill prohibits any federal department or agency from recognizing any Syrian government led by Bashar al-Assad or the legitimacy of Bashar al-Assad as President of Syria.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 21, 2020:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1193)
- **Dec 10, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 10, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Ways and Means, 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.