

HR 97

RAWR Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jan 3, 2019

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. (Jul 16, 2019)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/97>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Apr 9, 2019
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Apr 9, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 14, 2019
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 16, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1865	Related bill	Dec 20, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-94.
116 S 1590	Identical bill	Oct 23, 2019: Held at the desk.

Summary (as of Jul 15, 2019)

Rescuing Animals With Rewards Act of 2019 or the RAWR Act

This bill modifies the Department of State rewards program to authorize rewards to individuals who furnish information that assists in the prevention or identification of crimes related to wildlife trafficking.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 16, 2019:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Jul 15, 2019:** Mr. Engel moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 15, 2019:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5802)
- **Jul 15, 2019:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 97.
- **Jul 15, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5802)
- **Jul 15, 2019:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5802)
- **Jul 15, 2019:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 9, 2019:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 9, 2019:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules.
- **Apr 9, 2019:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 14, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Europe, Eurasia, Energy and the Environment.
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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