

HR 1088

Shielding our Military from Extremists Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 18, 2021)

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This bill requires the Department of Defense to implement the seven recommendations focused on preventing extremists from enlisting in the Armed Forces that are made in the report titled *Screening Individuals Who Seek to Enlist in the Armed Forces*. Among other recommendations, the report suggests (1) developing a consistent definition for domestic extremist ideologies, and (2) utilizing various law enforcement resources to evaluate and interpret questionable or concerning tattoos.

Actions Timeline

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