

## HR 1173

### Taiwan Invasion Prevention Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

**Introduced:** Feb 18, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, a

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Armed 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. (Feb 18, 2021)

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-1]	R · IA		Mar 2, 2021
Rep. Fallon, Pat [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Oct 28, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 332	Related bill	Feb 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

## Taiwan Invasion Prevention Act

This bill authorizes the President to use the Armed Forces to defend Taiwan against a direct attack by China's military, a taking of Taiwan's territory by China, or a threat that endangers the lives of civilians in Taiwan or members of Taiwan's military. The bill also directs the Department of Defense to convene an annual regional security dialogue with Taiwan and other partners to improve U.S. security relationships with countries in the Western Pacific.

(China considers Taiwan a part of China.)

## Actions Timeline

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