

HR 3769

Servicemember Safety and Security Improvement Act of 2021

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Sponsor

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Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Jun 8, 2021
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Carl, Jerry L. [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-10]	R · OH		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Aug 13, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 8, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2792	Related bill	Sep 22, 2021: An errata sheet on written report No. 117-39 was printed.
117 S 2058	Related bill	Jun 15, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text: CR S4548)

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This bill requires the Department of Defense to instruct each military department to review its policies and procedures for reporting members of the Armed Forces who are absent without leave, on unauthorized absence, or missing.

Military installations must update the policies and procedures related to absent or missing service members with a focus on force protection, enhanced security for members living on base, and prioritizing the reporting of missing service members to local and federal law enforcement at the earliest reasonable time.

The commander of each military installation must establish a protocol for sharing information with local and federal law enforcement agencies about service members who are absent without leave, on unauthorized absence, or missing. Each military installation must submit the established protocol to the relevant installation command.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 8, 2021:** Introduced in House
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