

S 3895

United States Commission on International Religious Freedom Reauthorization Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Mar 22, 2022

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 117-181.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 117-181. (Sep 30, 2022)

Law: 117-181 (Enacted Sep 30, 2022)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/3895>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE] | D · DE | | Mar 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL] | D · IL | | Mar 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK] | R · OK | | Mar 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ] | D · NJ | | Mar 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID] | R · ID | | Mar 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX] | R · TX | | Jun 8, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Foreign Relations Committee | Senate | Reported By | Jun 14, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 HR 7829 | Identical bill | May 18, 2022: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. |

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This act reauthorizes the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom through FY2024. The commission is an independent federal commission that monitors international religious freedom violations and makes policy recommendations.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 30, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Sep 30, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-181.
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Mr. Malinowski moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7898-7899)
- **Sep 19, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 3895.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H7944-7945)
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 402 - 4 (Roll no. 438). (text: CR H7898)
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- **Sep 19, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 20, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jul 20, 2022:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S3535; text: CR S3535)
- **Jun 14, 2022:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Menendez with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Jun 14, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 406.
- **Jun 9, 2022:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Mar 22, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 22, 2022:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.