

S 4924

PUNISH Act of 2022

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]

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

Cosponsors (27 total)

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| Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN] | R · TN | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO] | R · MO | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN] | R · IN | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA] | R · LA | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX] | R · TX | | Sep 22, 2022 |
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| Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID] | R · ID | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX] | R · TX | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT] | R · MT | | Sep 22, 2022 |
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| Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA] | R · IA | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Hagerty, Bill [R-TN] | R · TN | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND] | R · ND | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS] | R · MS | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK] | R · OK | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS] | R · KS | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID] | R · ID | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL] | R · FL | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE] | R · NE | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL] | R · FL | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK] | R · AK | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Thune, John [R-SD] | R · SD | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC] | R · NC | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Tuberville, Tommy [R-AL] | R · AL | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS] | R · MS | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN] | R · IN | | Sep 22, 2022 |
| Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR] | R · AR | | Sep 27, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee | Senate | Referred To | Sep 22, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 HR 8947 | Identical bill | Nov 1, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. |

Preventing Underhanded and Nefarious Iranian Supported Homicides Act of 2022 or the PUNISH Act of 2022

This bill extends sanctions and national emergencies related to Iran established by specified executive orders and limits the authority of the President to waive sanctions related to Iran. The bill requires the Department of State to periodically report whether Iran or any foreign person has supported specified activities, including murder or politically motivated detention in Iran of a U.S. citizen.

Actions Timeline

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