

## HR 6180

### Reef Assassin Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Dec 8, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife. (Dec 21, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/6180>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 21, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 59	Related bill	Nov 16, 2021: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

### Summary (as of Dec 8, 2021)

#### Reef Assassin Act

This bill directs the Department of Commerce to issue regulations under which a participating state may allow individuals to exchange 100 lionfish for one tag that authorizes recreational or commercial fishing for covered species. (Covered species are red snapper, gag grouper, triggerfish, and amberjack.)

### Actions Timeline

- **Dec 21, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Dec 8, 2021:** Introduced in House
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