

HR 621

BOLIVAR Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6]

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Gimenez, Carlos A. [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Gonzalez, Anthony [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Feb 1, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Feb 1, 2021
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Feb 15, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Mar 1, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Mar 17, 2022
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Mar 21, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 688	Related bill	Dec 20, 2022: Held at the desk.

Summary (as of Jan 28, 2021)

Banning Operations and Leases with the Illegitimate Venezuelan Authoritarian Regime Act or the BOLIVAR Act

This bill prohibits an executive agency from entering into a contract for the procurement of goods or services with any person that has business operations with the Maduro regime in Venezuela.

The bill lists exceptions, including where vital to U.S. national security or as necessary for purposes of providing humanitarian assistance, disaster relief and other urgent lifesaving measures, or to carry out noncombatant evacuations.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
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