

HR 7240

READ Act Reauthorization Act of 2022

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Policy Area: International Affairs

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Name: Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Mar 30, 2022
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Apr 6, 2022
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Apr 25, 2022
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Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		May 16, 2022
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		May 16, 2022
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-53]	D · CA		May 16, 2022
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		May 16, 2022
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Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		May 24, 2022
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Jun 8, 2022
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Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jun 8, 2022
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Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2022
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jun 15, 2022
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Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jul 12, 2022
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 12, 2022
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jul 12, 2022
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Jul 12, 2022
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jul 20, 2022
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2022
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jul 27, 2022

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Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jul 27, 2022
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Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Sep 19, 2022
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Sep 19, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Jul 28, 2022
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Dec 8, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HRES 1361	Related bill	Sep 20, 2022: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
117 S 3938	Identical bill	Mar 28, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Summary (as of Dec 7, 2022)

READ Act Reauthorization Act of 2022

This bill reauthorizes a law that requires the implementation of a strategy to promote quality basic education in partner countries by (1) expanding access to basic education for all children, particularly marginalized children and vulnerable groups; and (2) improving the quality of basic education and learning outcomes.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 7, 2022:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Menendez without amendment. Without written report.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 613.
- **Nov 29, 2022:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Sep 21, 2022:** Received in the Senate.
- **Sep 20, 2022:** Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 1361, proceedings on H.R. 7240 are considered vacated.
- **Sep 20, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: Pursuant to section 2 of H. Res. 1361, and the motion offered by Mr. Hoyer, the following bills passed under suspension of the rules: H.R. 1433, as amended; H.R. 4009, as amended; H.R. 4358, as amended; H.R. 6265; H.R. 6846, as amended; H.R. 7240, as amended; H.R. 7338, as amended; H.R. 8453, as amended; H.R. 8503, as amended; and H.R. 8520, as amended; and the following resolution was agreed to under suspension of the rules: H. Res. 558, as amended.
- **Sep 20, 2022:** Pursuant to section 2 of H. Res. 1361, and the motion offered by Mr. Hoyer, the following bills passed under suspension of the rules: H.R. 1433, as amended; H.R. 4009, as amended; H.R. 4358, as amended; H.R. 6265; H.R. 6846, as amended; H.R. 7240, as amended; H.R. 7338, as amended; H.R. 8453, as amended; H.R. 8503, as amended; and H.R. 8520, as amended; and the following resolution was agreed to under suspension of the rules: H. Res. 558, as amended. (consideration: CR H7984-7992; text: CR H7986)
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Mr. Malinowski moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 19, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7899-7900, H7947)
- **Sep 19, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 7240.
- **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.
- **Jul 28, 2022:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 28, 2022:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 28, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 28, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.