

HR 7311

Countering Malign Russian Activities in Africa Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (Apr 28, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]

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

Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Mar 31, 2022
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Mar 31, 2022
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Mar 31, 2022
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Carter, Troy [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Apr 4, 2022
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Apr 5, 2022
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Apr 6, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Apr 5, 2022
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 28, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 9374	Related bill	Dec 7, 2022: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.

Summary (as of Apr 27, 2022)

Countering Malign Russian Activities in Africa Act

This bill requires the Department of State to report to Congress a strategy and implementation plan outlining U.S. efforts to counter Russia's malign influence and activities in Africa. The State Department must also report to Congress annual updates on the strategy and implementation plan.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2022:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Mr. Connolly moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4541-4543)
- **Apr 27, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 7311.
- **Apr 27, 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.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4557-4558)
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 415 - 9 (Roll no. 134).
- **Apr 27, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 415 - 9 (Roll no. 134). (text: CR H4541-4542)
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 5, 2022:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 5, 2022:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 31, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 31, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.