

## HR 9700

Taiwan Status Diplomacy Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

| Committee                 | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

International Affairs

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Dec 30, 2022)

### Taiwan Status Diplomacy Act

This bill directs the Department of State to issue a legal opinion detailing the reasoning supporting the position of the United States regarding Taiwan's sovereignty and U.S. nonrecognition of China's territorial claim over Taiwan. The State Department must also conduct diplomatic efforts to inform and persuade countries of the legal reasoning supporting the position of the United States regarding Taiwan's status.

### Actions Timeline

- **Dec 30, 2022:** Introduced in House
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