

S 1583

A bill to require the Secretary of State to submit to Congress classified dissent cables relating to the withdrawal of the United States Armed Forces from Afghanistan.

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Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		May 11, 2023
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		May 11, 2023
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Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		May 11, 2023
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Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		May 11, 2023
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		May 11, 2023
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		May 11, 2023
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		May 11, 2023
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		May 15, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 11, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 11, 2023)

This bill requires the Department of State to (1) submit to Congress any classified State Department cables or memos that express a dissenting opinion relating to the withdrawal of the U.S. Armed Forces from Afghanistan, and (2) make publicly available unclassified versions of such cables and memos.

Actions Timeline

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