

## HR 2492

### Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 6, 2023

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 3624	Related bill	Jan 18, 2024: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

## Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act

This bill prohibits using federal funds for certain abortion-related purposes outside the United States.

The bill prohibits federal funding for certain foreign and domestic organizations that are engaged in activities such as performing abortions, furnishing items intended to procure abortions, or providing financial support to other organizations that conduct such activities. The prohibition does not apply to abortions resulting from rape or incest, or when the life of the mother would be endangered if the fetus were carried to term.

## Actions Timeline

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