

HR 9489

Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress Sunset Act of 2024

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: Sep 6, 2024

Current Status: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Cale

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Calendar No. 716. (Dec 17, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Steil, Bryan [R-WI-1]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Reported By	Sep 18, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 5093	Related bill	Dec 5, 2024: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 668.

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This bill eliminates the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress and transitions related oversight responsibilities to the Center for Legislative Archives of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) and others.

Under the bill, the Center for Legislative Archives must provide an annual report on the management and preservation of the records of Congress during the previous year to NARA, the Senate, and the House of Representatives. The first such report shall be provided by February 1 of the second calendar year after the bill's enactment.

Further, the Archivist, the Secretary of the Senate, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives must regularly meet to review the management and preservation of the records of Congress and Members of Congress. The meetings must occur within 60 days after the date on which the annual report is provided and within 180 days after the date on which an individual is appointed to the position of Archivist, the Secretary of the Senate, or the Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The committee is eliminated 60 days after the bill's enactment.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 716.
- **Dec 16, 2024:** Mr. Steil moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Dec 16, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7153)
- **Dec 16, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 9489.
- **Dec 16, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7153)
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- **Dec 16, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 17, 2024:** Reported by the Committee on House Administration. H. Rept. 118-684.
- **Sep 17, 2024:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 579.
- **Sep 11, 2024:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Sep 11, 2024:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 6, 2024:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 6, 2024:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

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