

## S 159

### Standing Against Houthi Aggression Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Britt, Katie Boyd [R-AL]	R · AL		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Ricketts, Pete [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Schmitt, Eric [R-MO]	R · MO		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. Sheehy, Tim [R-MT]	R · MT		Jan 21, 2025
Sen. McCormick, David [R-PA]	R · PA		Oct 7, 2025

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 21, 2025

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 21, 2025)

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#### **Standing Against Houthi Aggression Act**

This bill requires (1) the Department of State to designate Ansarallah, the Iran-backed movement in Yemen also known as the Houthis, as a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) the President to impose property- and visa-blocking sanctions with respect to Ansarallah and any foreign person who is a member, agent, or affiliate of, or owned or controlled by, Ansarallah.

