

One Hundred Eighteenth Congress Committee on Homeland Security U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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## **COMMITTEE ACTION**

The Committee on Homeland Security met, pursuant to notice, with a quorum being present, on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, in 310 Cannon House Office Building to consider the Authorization and Oversight Plan of the Committee on Homeland Security for the 118<sup>th</sup> Congress.

The Committee took the following action:

A motion by Mr. Green to adopt the Authorization and Oversight Plan of the Committee on Homeland Security for the 118<sup>th</sup> Congress, as amended; was AGREED TO by a roll call vote of 17 Yeas and 14 Nays (**RC#3**). A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Authorization and Oversight Plan of the Committee on Homeland Security for the 118<sup>th</sup> Congress

The following amendments were offered:

An amendment offered by Mr. Thompson: Page 6, after line 9, insert the following:

## DOMESTIC TERRORISM

The Committee will continue to examine threats to U.S. citizens and the homeland from domestic violent extremists, to include plots to attack public gatherings, religious institutions, government facilities, law enforcement, elected officials, and U.S. critical infrastructure. The Committee will also examine the rise in violent antisemitic incidents across the United States and explore the adoption of foreign terrorist organizations' tactics, techniques, and procedures by domestic violent extremist movements.; was AGREED TO, as amended, by a roll call vote of 16 Yeas and 15 Nays (**RC#2**) An amendment to the amendment offered by Mr. Guest: Line 1 strike "Domestic Terrorism" and insert "Violent Extremism". Line 3 strike "domestic". Line 4 after "elected officials," insert "military bases and recruitment centers,". Line 7 strike "domestic". Line 7 after "movements." insert "This effort will include oversight to ensure the protection of Americans' First Amendment rights, including from infringement or violation by politicized federal agencies.".; was AGREED TO by a roll call vote of 17 Yeas and 14 Nays (**RC#1**)

A motion by Mr. Green to adopt the Authorization and Oversight Plan of the Committee on Homeland Security for the 118<sup>th</sup> Congress, as amended, was AGREED TO by a roll call vote of 17 Yeas and 14 Nays (**RC#3**).

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ROBERT GARCIA of California. Mr. Chairman, had I been present at Tuesday's business meeting, I would have voted "no" on the Guest amendment; "no" on the Thompson of Mississippi amendment, as amended; and "no" on adoption of the Committee's authorization and oversight plan, as amended.

Without objection, staff is authorized to make technical and conforming changes to all measures to reflect the actions of the Committee; was NOT OBJECTED TO.

Mr. Thompson gave notice that, pursuant to Rule XI clause 2(l), Members may have two days in which to file any supplemental, minority, or additional views on the the Authorization and Oversight Plan.

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