



amendment like the one sponsored by **Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman (SASC) Jack Reed (D-RI)**.

“The Reed Amendment, reportedly approved by the **SASC** (behind closed doors) on July 21, would alter Selective Service law by changing the words “**male citizens**” to “**all Americans**.”

“Several Republicans let down women and the troops by voting with Chairman Reed, but **Senators Mike Lee (R-UT), James Lankford (R-OK), Steve Daines (MT), Roger Wicker (MS)** and **Marco Rubio (R-FL)** [introduced a resolution](#) calling for defeat of the Reed amendment.”

“We expect elected representatives to handle this issue responsibly, putting national security first. Congress should strike the Reed “Draft Our daughters” amendment in the Senate NDAA for 2022 and oppose any House or Senate legislation that would have the same effect.

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