

HR 4878

Improper Payments Information Act of 2002

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jun 6, 2002

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 107-300.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 107-300. (Nov 26, 2002)

Law: 107-300 (Enacted Nov 26, 2002)

Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-bill/4878

**Sponsor** 

Name: Rep. Horn, Stephen [R-CA-38]

Party: Republican • State: CA • Chamber: House

**Cosponsors** (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-6]	$R \cdot IN$		Jun 6, 2002
Rep. Ose, Doug [R-CA-3]	$R \cdot CA$		Jun 11, 2002
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D·IL		Jun 18, 2002
Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	$R \cdot OK$		Jun 18, 2002
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jul 8, 2002

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Oct 15, 2002
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Markup by	Jun 18, 2002

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

Government Operations and Politics

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

### **Summary** (as of Oct 17, 2002)

Improper Payments Information Act of 2002 - Directs each executive agency, in accordance with Office of Management and Budget (OMB) guidance, to review all of its programs and activities annually, identify those that may be susceptible to significant improper payments, estimate the annual amount of improper payments, and submit those estimates to Congress before March 31 of the following applicable year.

Requires each agency, for each program or activity with estimated improper payments exceeding \$10 million, to provide with the estimate a report on agency actions to reduce such improper payments, including: (1) a discussion of the causes of the improper payments and results of the actions taken to address those causes; (2) a statement of whether the agency has the information systems and other infrastructure it needs to reduce such payments to minimal cost-effective levels and, if not, a description of the resources the agency has requested to obtain necessary systems and infrastructure; and (3) a description of the steps the agency has taken to ensure that managers are held accountable for reducing improper payments.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Nov 26, 2002: Signed by President.
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- Nov 26, 2002: Became Public Law No: 107-300.
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- Nov 15, 2002: Presented to President.
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- Nov 12, 2002: Mr. Horn moved that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment.
- Nov 12, 2002: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4878.
- Nov 12, 2002: Resolving differences -- House actions: On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote. (consideration: CR H8085-8086; text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR H8085)
- Nov 12, 2002: On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote. (consideration: CR H8085-8086; text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR H8085)
- Nov 12, 2002: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Nov 4, 2002: By Senator Lieberman from Committee on Governmental Affairs filed written report under authority of the order of the Senate of 10/17/2002. Report No. 107-333.
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- Oct 21, 2002: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Oct 17, 2002: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S10752; text as passed Senate: CR S10752; text of measure as reported in Senate: CR S10752)
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- Oct 15, 2002: Committee on Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Lieberman without amendment. Without written report.
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- Oct 15, 2002: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 727.
- Oct 9, 2002: Committee on Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- Jul 11, 2002: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.
- Jul 9, 2002: Mr. Horn moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Jul 9, 2002: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4378-4380)
- Jul 9, 2002: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4878.
- Jul 9, 2002: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4378-4379)
- Jul 9, 2002: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4378-4379)
- Jul 9, 2002: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Jul 9, 2002: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- Jun 18, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Government Efficiency, Financial Management and Intergovernmental Relations.
- Jun 18, 2002: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jun 6, 2002: Introduced in House
- Jun 6, 2002: Introduced in House
- Jun 6, 2002: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.