

HR 3155

Fair Balance Prescription Drug Advertisement Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 6, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Emanuel, Rahm [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Sep 23, 2003
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Sep 23, 2003
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Oct 28, 2003
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1]	D · AR		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		Mar 31, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 6, 2003
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 23, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Fair Balance Prescription Drug Advertisement Act of 2003 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) to prohibit a deduction for any expense of an advertisement for a prescription drug if, with respect to such advertisement, the Secretary of Health and Human Services has submitted to the Secretary of the Treasury a report with respect to direct-to-consumer advertising that certain FDCA misbranding violations have occurred.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 6, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 23, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Sep 23, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1862-1863)
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