

HR 1985

Federal Whistleblower Protection Tax Act of 2005

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]

Party: Republican • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Apr 28, 2005
Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Apr 28, 2005
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		May 3, 2005
Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	R · VA		May 10, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 28, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 28, 2005)

Federal Whistleblower Protection Tax Act of 2005 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to exclude from gross income damages (other than punitive damages and lost income) and amounts awarded as attorney fees and costs for claims under Federal whistleblower provisions prohibiting the discharge of, or discrimination, retaliation, or reprisal against, an employee for asserting rights or taking permitted actions. Provides for the averaging of such lost income for income tax purposes.

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