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HR 223

Deficit Accountability Act of 2005 Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Congress Introduced: Jan 4, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Government Re Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as

fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Jan 4, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Stearns, Cliff [R-FL-6]

Party: Republican • State: FL • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	$R \cdot GA$		Feb 2, 2005
Rep. Green, Mark [R-WI-8]	$R \cdot WI$		Mar 14, 2005
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Jul 13, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Jan 4, 2005
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 4, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 4, 2005)

Deficit Accountability Act of 2005 - Amends the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 to provide that pay for Members of Congress may not be increased by any adjustment scheduled to take effect in a calendar year if the Office of Management and Budget determines there was a deficit in the preceding fiscal year.

Actions Timeline

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