

HR 3940

Ensure Prescription Drug Coverage Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Oct 17, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]

Party: Republican • State: GA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Sep 29, 2005
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Oct 18, 2005
Rep. Goode, Virgil H., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Oct 18, 2005
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Oct 18, 2005
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Oct 20, 2005
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 1, 2005
Rep. Tiberi, Patrick J. [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Nov 7, 2005
Resident Commissioner Fortuno, Luis G. [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Nov 7, 2005
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Nov 17, 2005
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-7]	R · LA		Dec 13, 2005
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jan 31, 2006
Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 7, 2006
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Feb 8, 2006
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Feb 15, 2006
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 1, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 17, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 7, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Sep 29, 2005)

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Ensure Prescription Drug Coverage Act of 2005 - Amends part D (Voluntary Prescription Drug Benefit Program) of title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to lengthen through June 30, 2007, the initial enrollment period for the Medicare prescription drug program.

Extends through December 31, 2007, the period during which a discount card eligible individual may enroll in an endorsed discount card program..

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 17, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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