

HR 4890

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Ryan, Paul [R-WI-1]

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

Cosponsors (110 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Beauprez, Bob [R-CO-7]	R · CO		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Bono, Mary [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Cannon, Chris [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Cantor, Eric [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Chocola, Chris [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Dreier, David [R-CA-26]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-3]	R · PA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Feeney, Tom [R-FL-24]	R · FL		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Gallegly, Elton [R-CA-24]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Green, Mark [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Hayworth, J. D. [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Herger, Wally [R-CA-2]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Inglis, Bob [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Istook, Ernest J., Jr. [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Kennedy, Mark R. [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL-10]	R · IL		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Mack, Connie [R-FL-14]	R · FL		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Matheson, Jim [D-UT-2]	D · UT		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Moran, Jerry [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Musgrave, Marilyn N. [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Pence, Mike [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Platts, Todd Russell [R-PA-19]	R · PA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Pombo, Richard W. [R-CA-11]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Putnam, Adam H. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Renzi, Rick [R-AZ-1]	R · AZ		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-40]	R · CA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Ryun, Jim [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Shadegg, John B. [R-AZ-3]	R · AZ		Mar 7, 2006

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Rep. Shays, Christopher [R-CT-4]	R · CT		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Udall, Mark [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Mar 7, 2006
Resident Commissioner Fortuno, Luis G. [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Barrett, J. Gresham [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6]	R · MD		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Bass, Charles F. [R-NH-2]	R · NH		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Bradley, Jeb [R-NH-1]	R · NH		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Brown-Waite, Ginny [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Campbell, John [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Doolittle, John T. [R-CA-4]	R · CA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]	R · NC		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Goode, Virgil H., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Hostettler, John N. [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]	R · CA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Jindal, Bobby [R-LA-1]	R · LA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-5]	R · IA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Norwood, Charles W. [R-GA-9]	R · GA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Ramstad, Jim [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Schmidt, Jean [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	R · IL		Mar 8, 2006
Rep. Akin, W. Todd [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Castle, Michael N. [R-DE-At Large]	R · DE		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Hefley, Joel [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Porter, Jon C. [R-NV-3]	R · NV		Mar 9, 2006

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Rep. Tancredo, Thomas G. [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Drake, Thelma D. [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Radanovich, George [R-CA-19]	R · CA		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Weldon, Dave [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Mar 16, 2006
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Mar 16, 2006
Rep. Hastings, Doc [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Mar 16, 2006
Rep. McCrery, Jim [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Mar 16, 2006
Rep. Camp, Dave [R-MI-4]	R · MI		Mar 29, 2006
Rep. Gillmor, Paul E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Mar 29, 2006
Rep. Deal, Nathan [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Apr 4, 2006
Rep. Hoekstra, Peter [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Apr 4, 2006
Rep. Weller, Jerry [R-IL-11]	R · IL		Apr 6, 2006
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Apr 26, 2006
Rep. Crenshaw, Ander [R-FL-4]	R · FL		May 22, 2006
Rep. Hyde, Henry J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		May 22, 2006
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Jun 12, 2006
Rep. Baker, Richard H. [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Jun 14, 2006
Rep. Shaw, E. Clay, Jr. [R-FL-22]	R · FL		Jun 14, 2006
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Jun 14, 2006
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Jun 19, 2006
Rep. McMorris, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jun 19, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Reported By	Jun 17, 2006
Rules Committee	House	Reported By	Jun 19, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HRES 886	Procedurally related	Jun 22, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
109 HR 5667	Related bill	Jun 21, 2006: Referred to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, and Standards of Official Conduct, 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.
109 S 2381	Identical bill	May 2, 2006: Committee on the Budget. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-650.

Legislative Line Item Veto Act of 2006 - (Sec. 2) Amends the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 to authorize the President to propose the cancellation (line item veto) of any dollar amount of discretionary budget authority, item of direct spending, or targeted tax benefit within 45 days after its enactment.

Sets forth requirements for the President's transmittal to Congress of a special message regarding a proposed cancellation. Prohibits duplicate proposals of such cancellations. Limits such messages to five for most bills or joint resolutions, but up to 10 for any omnibus budget reconciliation or appropriation measure.

Dedicates any cancellation only to deficit reduction or increase of a surplus.

Requires: (1) the chairs of the Senate and House Budget Committees to revise committee allocations and aggregates and other appropriate levels under the appropriate concurrent resolution on the budget to reflect the cancellation; and (2) the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to revise applicable limits, as appropriate, under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act).

Sets forth procedures for expedited congressional consideration of a proposed cancellation.

Authorizes the President up to 45 days after he transmits a special message to Congress to: (1) withhold discretionary budget authority; and (2) suspend implementation of any targeted tax benefit proposed to be repealed.

Provides for an additional 45-day extension of any discretionary budget authority, item of direct spending, or targeted tax benefit, as applicable.

Requires the chairs of the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Finance (chairs) to: (1) review any revenue or reconciliation bill or joint resolution amending the Internal Revenue Code being prepared for filing by a conference committee; (2) identify whether such legislation contains any targeted tax benefits; and (3) provide the conference committee with a statement identifying such targeted benefits or declaring that such measure does not contain targeted tax benefits.

Allows legislation reported from the conference committee that includes targeted tax benefits to include the statement of the chairs in a separate section of such legislation in a specified manner.

Authorizes the President, with or without such separate section, to include his statement in such legislation in the same manner if it is signed into law but only with respect to targeted tax benefits in that law.

Requires the Comptroller General to report to Congress on whether any discretionary budget authority is not made available for obligation or item of direct spending or targeted tax benefit continues to be suspended after the President's deferral authority established in this Act has expired.

Terminates this Act on October 1, 2012.

(Sec. 3) Amends the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to require the Director of the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) to: (1) prepare an estimate of the savings in budget authority or outlays resulting from a proposed cancellation relative to the most recent levels calculated, consistent with the methodology used to calculate a baseline under the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act and included in the President's budget submission; and (2) transmit such estimate to the chairs.

(Sec. 4) Expresses the sense of Congress that no President or any executive branch official should condition the

inclusion or exclusion, or threaten to condition the inclusion or exclusion, of any proposed cancellation in any special message under this Act upon any vote cast or to be cast by any Member of either Chamber.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 5, 2006:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 589.
- **Aug 3, 2006:** Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Jun 23, 2006:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Rule H. Res. 886 passed House.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 886. (consideration: CR H4467-4493; text of measure as introduced: CR H4467-4469; text of measure as reported in House: CR H4469-4471)
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4890 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. A specified amendment is in order.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 4890.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Mr. Spratt moved to recommit with instructions to The Budget. (consideration: CR H4484-4488; text: CR H4484-4487)
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Point of order sustained against the motion to recommit with instructions.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Mr. Ryan (WI) raised a point of order against the motion to recommit with instructions. Mr. Ryan stated that the provisions of the motion to recommit were not germane to the bill. Sustained by the Chair.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Mr. Spratt moved to recommit with instructions to The Budget. (consideration: CR H4488-4492; text: CR H4488-4490)
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Floor summary: DEBATE - The House proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Spratt motion to recommit with instructions.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** The previous question on the motion to recommit with instructions was ordered without objection. (consideration: CR H4492)
- **Jun 22, 2006:** On motion to recommit with instructions Failed by recorded vote: 170 - 249 (Roll no. 316).
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by recorded vote: 247 - 172 (Roll no. 317).
- **Jun 22, 2006:** On passage Passed by recorded vote: 247 - 172 (Roll no. 317).
- **Jun 22, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 22, 2006:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 21, 2006:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 886 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4890 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. A specified amendment is in order.
- **Jun 19, 2006:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Rules. H. Rept. 109-505, Part II.
- **Jun 19, 2006:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Rules. H. Rept. 109-505, Part II.
- **Jun 19, 2006:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 283.
- **Jun 16, 2006:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on The Budget. H. Rept. 109-505, Part I.
- **Jun 16, 2006:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on The Budget. H. Rept. 109-505, Part I.
- **Jun 15, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 15, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 8 - 4.
- **Jun 14, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 14, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 24 - 9.
- **Jun 8, 2006:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **May 25, 2006:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 15, 2006:** Subcommittee Hearings Held by the Subcommittee on the Legislative and Budget Process Prior to Referral.
- **Mar 7, 2006:** Introduced in House
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