

HR 5014

Federal Judicial Fairness Act of 2006

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-29]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Biggert, Judy [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Mar 28, 2006
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Mar 30, 2006
Rep. Delahunt, William D. [D-MA-10]	D · MA		Apr 4, 2006
Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		May 9, 2006
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 16, 2006
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		May 16, 2006
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		May 16, 2006
Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20]	D · TX		May 19, 2006
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 19, 2006
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		May 25, 2006
Rep. Herseth, Stephanie [D-SD-At Large]	D · SD		Sep 19, 2006
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Sep 19, 2006
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-25]	D · TX		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Sep 25, 2006
Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Sep 27, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 28, 2006

## Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 2276	Identical bill	<b>Feb 10, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1074)

## Summary (as of Mar 28, 2006)

Federal Judicial Fairness Act of 2006 - Repeals a requirement of federal law limiting salary increases for federal judges or Supreme Court Justices to those specifically authorized by Act of Congress.

Amends the federal judicial code to make the cost of living adjustments in judicial salaries effective in the first pay period beginning on or after January 1 each year. (Currently, such adjustments are triggered by General Schedule adjustments.) Prohibits the percentage adjustment taking effect in a calendar year, in any salary rate, from exceeding the adjustment taking effect in such year under General Schedule pay rate requirements.

Increases the rate of basic pay for: (1) the Chief Justice of the United States; (2) an Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court; (3) a judge of a U.S. circuit court, a district court, and the U.S. Court of International Trade; (4) a bankruptcy judge; and (5) a full-time magistrate judge.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 28, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **Mar 28, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E420)
- **Mar 28, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.