

HJRES 58

Proposing a balanced budget amendment the Constitution of the United States.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Aug 23, 2005)

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Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Jul 13, 2005
Rep. Shadegg, John B. [R-AZ-3]	R · AZ		Jul 13, 2005
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Rep. Moran, Jerry [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Sep 22, 2005
Rep. Boswell, Leonard L. [D-IA-3]	D · IA		May 23, 2006
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		May 23, 2006
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		May 23, 2006
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Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		May 23, 2006
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		May 23, 2006
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Rep. Bonilla, Henry [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Sep 19, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 23, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HJRES 98	Related bill	Sep 28, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
109 HJRES 74	Related bill	Feb 16, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Summary (as of Jul 13, 2005)

Constitutional Amendment - Prohibits outlays for a fiscal year (except those for repayment of debt principal) from exceeding total receipts for that fiscal year (except those derived from borrowing) unless Congress, by a three-fifths rollcall vote of each House, authorizes a specific excess of outlays over receipts.

Requires a three-fifths rollcall vote of each House to increase the public debt limit.

Directs the President to submit a balanced budget to Congress annually.

Prohibits any bill to increase revenue from becoming law unless approved by a majority of each House by rollcall vote.

Authorizes waivers of these provisions when a declaration of war is in effect or under other specified circumstances involving military conflict.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 23, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Jul 13, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Jul 13, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.