

HR 5916

Patients' Access to Physicians Act of 2006

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Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Emanuel, Rahm [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Sep 26, 2006
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Sep 26, 2006
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Sep 27, 2006
Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Nov 15, 2006
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Nov 15, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 1, 2006
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 27, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2006)

Patient's Access to Physicians Act of 2006 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act, as amended by the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005, to provide for an increase in the minimum updates for payments for physicians' services under the Medicare program for 2007 and 2008.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 1, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 27, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **Jul 27, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1562)
- **Jul 27, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.
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