

HR 3928

Government Funding Transparency Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Oct 23, 2007

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and

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Governmental Affairs. (Apr 24, 2008)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: CT • Chamber: Senate

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| Rep. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI-2] | D · HI | | Oct 24, 2007 |
| Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1] | D · NH | | Oct 24, 2007 |
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| Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2] | D · CT | | Oct 31, 2007 |
| Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7] | D · MD | | Oct 31, 2007 |
| Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3] | D · CT | | Oct 31, 2007 |
| Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10] | D · NY | | Oct 31, 2007 |
| Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13] | D · OH | | Dec 13, 2007 |
| Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2] | $R \cdot TN$ | | Mar 6, 2008 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate | Referred To | Apr 24, 2008 |
| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Reported by | Mar 11, 2008 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 23, 2008)

Government Funding Transparency Act of 2008 - Amends the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act to require the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to ensure that the federal awards website includes for each federal award of assistance or expenditures of \$25,000 or more the names and total compensation of the five most highly compensated officers of the receiving entity if: (1) the entity in the preceding fiscal year received 80% or more of its annual gross revenues and \$25 million or more in annual gross revenues from federal awards; and (2) the public does not have access to information about the compensation of the entity's senior executives through reports filed under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or the Internal Revenue Code.

Requires the Director of OMB to promulgate regulations to carry out this Act that include a definition of "total compensation" that is consistent with regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) concerning executive compensation.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 24, 2008: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- Apr 23, 2008: Mr. Towns moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Apr 23, 2008: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H2574-2577)
- Apr 23, 2008: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3928.
- Apr 23, 2008: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H2575)
- Apr 23, 2008: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H2575)
- Apr 23, 2008: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Apr 23, 2008: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- Apr 17, 2008: Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Oversight and Government. H. Rept. 110-594.
- Apr 17, 2008: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 367.
- Mar 13, 2008: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Mar 13, 2008: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- Mar 11, 2008: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Mar 11, 2008: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- Nov 2, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement.
- Oct 23, 2007: Introduced in House
- Oct 23, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H11853)
- Oct 23, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.