

HR 1214

Payday Loan Reform Act of 2009

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 26, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 2563	Related bill	May 21, 2009: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.

Summary (as of Feb 26, 2009)

Payday Loan Reform Act of 2009 - Amends the Truth in Lending Act to require a creditor to make specified disclosures when making a payday loan to a consumer.

Prohibits a creditor from making a payday loan to any consumer unless: (1) specified notices are posted conspicuously in English and Spanish in the creditor's public lending area, or, if the loan is made using the Internet, fax or other means, posted conspicuously on the creditor's public internet site relating to any such payday loan; and (2) the creditor offers the consumer an extended repayment plan that meets specified requirements.

Sets forth prohibited lender practices, including: (1) requiring a consumer to pay interest and fees that, combined, total more than 15 cents for every dollar loaned in connection with a payday loan; (2) threatening or seeking to have the consumer prosecuted in criminal court to collect the loan; and (3) taking or attempting to take an interest in any of the consumer's personal property to secure the loan.

Authorizes a consumer to cancel future payment obligations on a payday loan, without cost or finance charges, by: (1) informing the creditor in writing within two days after executing the loan agreement that the consumer wants to rescind the loan; and (2) returning to the creditor the cash amount of the loan principal.

Empowers state attorneys general to enforce this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 26, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 26, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E493-494)
- **Feb 26, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.