

## HR 2490

### GROW America's Small Businesses Act of 2009

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Kennedy, Patrick J. [D-RI-1]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kagen, Steve [D-WI-8]	D · WI		May 19, 2009
Rep. Murphy, Patrick J. [D-PA-8]	D · PA		May 19, 2009
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jun 3, 2009
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 12, 2009
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Oct 20, 2009
Rep. Hodes, Paul W. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Jan 12, 2010

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 19, 2009

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Generating Reinvestment Opportunities with America's Small Businesses Act of 2009 or the GROW America's Small Businesses Act of 2009 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow certain small businesses (generally, businesses with \$12 million or less in gross receipts for a taxable year) to defer payment of income tax by making four equal installments over a specified two-year period; (2) extend such deferral period to three years for small businesses that increase employment and maintain salary levels of employees called to duty as members of the Ready Reserve/National Guard; and (3) establish tax-exempt GROW Accounts to provide financing and tax relief for such small businesses.

Requires the Comptroller General to study and report to Congress on the applicability and impact of this Act.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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