

## HR 5069

Fair Payment of Court Fees Act of 2010

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Law

**Introduced:** Apr 20, 2010

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy. (Jun 15, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/5069>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 15, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Law

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Apr 20, 2010)

Fair Payment of Court Fees Act of 2010 - Amends the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to authorize the waiver of court fees if the court determines that the interest of justice justifies such a waiver. Amends the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure to require such a waiver.

States that the interest of justice includes the establishment of constitutional or other important precedent.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jun 15, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy.
- **Apr 20, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 20, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E588)
- **Apr 20, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.