

## HR 5623

### Homebuyer Assistance and Improvement Act of 2010

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jun 29, 2010

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 111-198.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 111-198. (Jul 2, 2010)

**Law:** 111-198 (Enacted Jul 2, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/5623>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Dahlkemper, Kathleen A. [D-PA-3]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Childers, Travis [D-MS-1]	D · MS		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Kratovil, Frank, Jr. [D-MD-1]	D · MD		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jun 29, 2010
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Jun 29, 2010

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 29, 2010
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 29, 2010
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 29, 2010
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 29, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on June 29, 2010. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Homebuyer Assistance and Improvement Act of 2010 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) extend eligibility for the first-time homebuyer tax credit until September 30, 2010, for taxpayers who entered into a binding contract to purchase a principal residence before May 1, 2010; (2) extend the penalty for tendering a bad check to the Internal Revenue Service to tendering any instrument in payment, by any commercially acceptable means; and (3) authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to disclose prisoner tax return information to state agencies charged with the responsibility for administration of prisons.

Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to extend through FY2015 the authority of the Secretary of Homeland Security (DHS) to collect a fee for the use of the electronic travel authorization system.

Amends the Travel Promotion Act of 2009 to extend the implementation of such Act until after the collection of fees for use of the electronic travel authorization system and extend until FY2015 the authority of the Secretary of the Treasury to transfer such fees to the Corporation for Travel Promotion.

Provides for compliance of the budgetary effects of this Act with the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2010.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 2, 2010:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 2, 2010:** Became Public Law No: 111-198.
- **Jul 1, 2010:** Presented to President.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 455.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5679)
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5679)
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jun 30, 2010:** Cleared for White House.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, Homeland Security, and Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Referred to House Budget
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Referred to House Homeland Security
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Mr. Levin moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4936-4939)
- **Jun 29, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5623.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4944)
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 409 - 5 (Roll no. 401).(text: CR H4936-4937)
- **Jun 29, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 409 - 5 (Roll no. 401). (text: CR H4936-4937)
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.