

## HRES 615

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Members who vote in favor of the establishment of a public, federal government run health insurance option are urged to forgo their right to participate in the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (FEHBP) and agree to enroll under that public option.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 8, 2009

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**Latest Action:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H8014) (Jul 13, 2009)

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### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Fleming, John [R-LA-4]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (104 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Akin, W. Todd [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Alexander, Rodney [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6]	R · MD		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Blunt, Roy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Bonner, Jo [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Boozman, John [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-7]	R · LA		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Fallin, Mary [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Linder, John [R-GA-7]	R · GA		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-9]	R · MO		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Pence, Mike [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Scalise, Steve [R-LA-1]	R · LA		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jul 8, 2009
Rep. Heller, Dean [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. Moran, Jerry [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. Westmoreland, Lynn A. [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. Cantor, Eric [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Jul 10, 2009
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Jul 10, 2009
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jul 10, 2009
Rep. Boehner, John A. [R-OH-8]	R · OH		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Jul 14, 2009
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Jul 15, 2009

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Rep. Tiahrt, Todd [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Bachmann, Michele [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Broun, Paul C. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Culberson, John Abney [R-TX-7]	R · TX		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-52]	R · CA		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Stearns, Cliff [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Jul 16, 2009
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-9]	R · FL		Jul 17, 2009
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Jul 17, 2009
Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jul 17, 2009
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Jul 17, 2009
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. Hoekstra, Peter [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-5]	R · IA		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. Lee, Christopher J. [R-NY-26]	R · NY		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. McCarthy, Kevin [R-CA-22]	R · CA		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jul 22, 2009
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Jul 24, 2009
Rep. Brown-Waite, Ginny [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. Campbell, John [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. Schock, Aaron [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Jul 28, 2009
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Brown, Henry E., Jr. [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Davis, Geoff [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Herger, Wally [R-CA-2]	R · CA		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Inglis, Bob [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Shadegg, John B. [R-AZ-3]	R · AZ		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Sep 8, 2009
Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]	R · NC		Sep 9, 2009
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Sep 9, 2009

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Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Sep 10, 2009
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Sep 14, 2009
Rep. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL-10]	R · IL		Sep 15, 2009
Rep. Radanovich, George [R-CA-19]	R · CA		Sep 16, 2009
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Sep 17, 2009
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Sep 22, 2009
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Sep 22, 2009
Rep. Manzullo, Donald A. [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Sep 25, 2009
Rep. Austria, Steve [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Sep 29, 2009
Rep. Hall, Ralph M. [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Sep 29, 2009
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Oct 15, 2009
Rep. Forbes, J. Randy [R-VA-4]	R · VA		Oct 20, 2009
Rep. Lucas, Frank D. [R-OK-3]	R · OK		Nov 3, 2009
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Nov 4, 2009
Rep. Putnam, Adam H. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Dec 2, 2009
Rep. Wolf, Frank R. [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Dec 2, 2009
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-44]	R · CA		Dec 16, 2009
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jan 12, 2010
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Jan 13, 2010
Rep. Wamp, Zach [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Feb 23, 2010
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Mar 2, 2010

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Jul 8, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 SRES 243	Related bill	<b>Aug 5, 2009:</b> Referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8873)
111 HRES 657	Related bill	<b>Jul 17, 2009:</b> Referred to House Ways and Means
111 HRES 642	Related bill	<b>Jul 14, 2009:</b> Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.
111 HRES 626	Related bill	<b>Jul 10, 2009:</b> Referred to House Ways and Means

Urges Members of Congress who vote in favor of the establishment of a public, federal government run health insurance option to forgo their right to participate in the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (FEHBP) and agree to enroll under that public option.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 13, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H8014)
- **Jul 9, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H7840)
- **Jul 8, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 8, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.