

## S 1438

### Regulation Moratorium and Jobs Preservation Act of 2011

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		Sep 12, 2012

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 28, 2011

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 4078	Related bill	<b>Jul 31, 2012:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 477.
112 S 2199	Related bill	<b>Mar 15, 2012:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
112 HR 3400	Related bill	<b>Nov 29, 2011:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
112 S 1720	Related bill	<b>Oct 18, 2011:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 203.
112 HR 2898	Identical bill	<b>Oct 3, 2011:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs, Stimulus Oversight and Government Spending .

## Summary (as of Jul 28, 2011)

Regulation Moratorium and Jobs Preservation Act of 2011 - Prohibits any federal agency from taking any significant regulatory action until the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) reports a monthly unemployment rate equal to or less than 7.7%.

Defines as "significant" any regulatory action that is likely to: (1) have an annual effect on the economy of \$100 million or more or adversely affect the economy, productivity, competition, jobs, the environment, public health or safety, small entities, or state, local, or tribal governments or communities; (2) create a serious inconsistency or otherwise interfere with another agency's action; (3) materially alter the budgetary impact of entitlements, grants, user fees, or loan programs or the rights and obligations of recipients thereof; or (4) raise novel legal or policy issues.

Authorizes the President to waive such prohibition if the President notifies Congress that a waiver is necessary on the basis of national security or a national emergency. Allows judicial review of all claims under this Act.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jul 28, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
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