

## HR 1954

To implement the President's request to increase the statutory limit on the public debt.

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Economics and Public Finance

**Introduced:** May 24, 2011

**Current Status:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (May 31, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/1954>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Camp, Dave [R-MI-4]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 24, 2011

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 2663	Related bill	Jul 27, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
112 HR 2544	Related bill	Jul 14, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
112 S 1326	Identical bill	Jul 6, 2011: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 94.

### Summary (as of May 24, 2011)

Increases the statutory limit on the public debt from \$14.294 trillion to \$16.7 trillion.

## Actions Timeline

---

- **May 31, 2011:** Mr. Camp moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 31, 2011:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H3765-3775; text of measure as introduced: CR H3765-3766)
- **May 31, 2011:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1954.
- **May 31, 2011:** 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.
- **May 31, 2011:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H3783-3784)
- **May 31, 2011:** Failed of passage/not agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Failed by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 97 - 318, 7 Present (Roll no. 379).
- **May 31, 2011:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Failed by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 97 - 318, 7 Present (Roll no. 379).
- **May 31, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 24, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **May 24, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.