

HR 4280

Puerto Rico Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Restoration Act of 2012

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 12, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Puerto Rico Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Restoration Act of 2012 - Amends the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 (formerly known as the Food Stamp Act of 1977) to: (1) include Puerto Rico in the definition of state for purposes of supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP, formerly food stamp) eligibility, and (2) remove Puerto Rico from the consolidated block grant program upon the effective date of the amendments made by this Act.

Provides for the application by, and approval of, retail food stores in Puerto Rico for program participation.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 12, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition and Horticulture .
- **Mar 28, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 28, 2012:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1644)
- **Mar 28, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.