

HR 5842

Restoring Access to Medication Act of 2012

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		May 30, 2012
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Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		May 30, 2012
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Rep. Berg, Rick [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jun 1, 2012
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Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-1]	R · AZ		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Heck, Joseph J. [R-NV-3]	R · NV		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-9]	R · MO		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Pompeo, Mike [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jun 1, 2012
Rep. Bilbray, Brian P. [R-CA-50]	R · CA		Jun 5, 2012
Rep. Davis, Geoff [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Jun 5, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Reported By	Jun 5, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 2529	Related bill	Jul 20, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
112 S 1368	Related bill	Jul 14, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
112 HR 524	Related bill	Feb 14, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Jun 5, 2012)

Restoring Access to Medication Act of 2012 - Repeals provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, as added by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, that limit payments for medications from health savings accounts, Archer medical savings accounts, and health flexible spending arrangements and reimbursement arrangements to only prescription drugs or insulin (thus allowing distributions from such accounts for over-the-counter drugs).

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 5, 2012:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Ways and Means. H. Rept. 112-516.
- **Jun 5, 2012:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 364.
- **May 31, 2012:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 31, 2012:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 24 - 9.
- **May 18, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **May 18, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.