

## HR 6349

Bankruptcy Administration Improvement Act of 2012

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Commercial and Administrative Law. (Sep 7, 2012)

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Aug 2, 2012
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Aug 2, 2012
Rep. Griffin, Tim [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Sep 13, 2012

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 7, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

Bankruptcy Administration Improvement Act of 2012 - Amends federal bankruptcy law to: (1) round to the nearest \$5 any Consumer Price Index (CPI) increase in the trustee fee for services rendered in a case under chapter 7 (Liquidation); (2) increase that fee from \$15 to \$75; and (3) authorize the court, in determining the amount of reasonable compensation to be awarded to a trustee under chapter 7, to treat such compensation as a commission.

Prohibits the waiver of the trustee fee if an individual debtor is able to pay in installments in chapter 7 cases.

Repeals the requirement that, when a trustee is not serving a chapter 7 case involving an employee benefit plan, the debtor continue to perform the obligations required of the plan administrator if at the time of the commencement of the case the debtor (or a designee entity) served as the administrator. Repeals the duty of a trustee, in such a circumstance, to continue to perform such administrative obligations.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 7, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Commercial and Administrative Law.
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 2, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.