

HR 782

State Health Care Flexibility Act of 2011

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Sponsor

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Rep. Broun, Paul C. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Feb 17, 2011
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Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Feb 17, 2011
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Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Feb 17, 2011
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Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Tiberi, Patrick J. [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Feb 17, 2011
Rep. Cravaack, Chip [R-MN-8]	R · MN		Feb 18, 2011
Rep. Gowdy, Trey [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Feb 28, 2011
Rep. Huelskamp, Tim [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Feb 28, 2011
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Feb 28, 2011
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Mar 2, 2011
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Mar 2, 2011
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Mar 2, 2011
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Mar 8, 2011
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-18]	R · OH		Mar 14, 2011
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-52]	R · CA		Mar 14, 2011
Rep. Miller, Gary G. [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Apr 4, 2011
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Apr 14, 2011
Rep. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Jan 25, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2011
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 23, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3326	Related bill	Nov 4, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
112 S 244	Related bill	Feb 7, 2011: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S608)

Summary (as of Feb 17, 2011)

State Health Care Flexibility Act of 2011 - Authorizes a state to opt out of the application of certain provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) with respect to health insurance coverage within the state by: (1) enacting a law that expresses the intent of the state to opt out of any or all of such provisions, lists such provisions, and expresses the intent of the state to continue to administer health care coverage-related laws as in effect in the state on March 22, 2010, or provides for the implementation of related state laws enacted after such date; and (2) notifying the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) and the Secretary of the Treasury that such a state law was enacted.

Includes among PPACA provisions that may be made inapplicable within a state provisions related to health coverage, essential health benefits, health insurance exchanges, alternative health plans established by states, individual and employer health coverage requirements, interoperable protocols for enrollment in federal and state health and human service programs, and expansion of Medicaid coverage.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 23, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 17, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 17, 2011:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.