

HJRES 99

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require that an increase in the Federal debt requires approval from a majority of the legislatures of the several States.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: Jan 17, 2012

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Jan 25, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-5]

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

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Marchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Mulvaney, Mick [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Stutzman, Marlin A. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Feb 1, 2012
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Feb 1, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 25, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 17, 2012)

Constitutional Amendment - Provides that an increase in the federal debt requires approval from a majority of the legislatures of the several states.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 25, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Jan 17, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 17, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.