

## HR 1009

Volunteer Emergency Services Recruitment and Retention Act of 2013

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 6, 2013

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions. (Apr 23, 2013)

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Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Jul 19, 2013
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D · WV		Feb 3, 2014
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Mar 12, 2014
Rep. Gibson, Christopher P. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		May 7, 2014
Rep. Enyart, William L. [D-IL-12]	D · IL		May 19, 2014
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		May 19, 2014
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		May 19, 2014
Rep. Fincher, Stephen Lee [R-TN-8]	R · TN		May 22, 2014
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Sep 18, 2014

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 23, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 6, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 506	Related bill	<b>Mar 7, 2013:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Mar 6, 2013)

Volunteer Emergency Services Recruitment and Retention Act of 2013 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow sponsors of certain deferred compensation plans to elect to include length of service award plans for bona fide volunteers providing firefighting and fire prevention services, emergency medical services, ambulance services, and emergency rescue services.

Directs the Secretary of Labor to issue guidance clarifying that a length of service award program is not an employee pension benefit plan under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

## Actions Timeline

- **Apr 23, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Mar 6, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 6, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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.