

HR 1332

American Jobs Matter Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

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Rep. Enyart, William L. [D-IL-12]	D · IL		Jun 3, 2013
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 21, 2013
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 21, 2013

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1246	Related bill	Jun 27, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

American Jobs Matter Act of 2013 - Requires an executive agency to state in a solicitation for competitive proposals that the agency may consider information that the offeror may include on the effects awarding the contract to the offeror would have on employment within the United States (jobs impact statement). Allows such statement to include a guarantee that jobs created or retained in the United States will not be moved outside the United States after award of the contract.

Requires each agency to: (1) assess, annually, the accuracy of such a statement submitted by an offeror awarded a contract; (2) submit an annual report on the frequency of use of such statements in evaluating competitive proposals; and (3) track the number of jobs created or retained during the performance of a contract awarded to an offeror that submitted such a statement. Authorizes an agency to evaluate whether a contractor should be proposed for debarment if the number of jobs that the agency estimates will be created based on such statement significantly exceeds the number created or retained.

Sets forth analogous provisions for defense contracts.

Requires revision of the Federal Acquisition Regulation to implement the amendments made by this Act.

Actions Timeline

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