

HR 2149

Families for Foster Youth Stamp Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

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Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jul 30, 2013
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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jan 29, 2014
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 25, 2014
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2014
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2014
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2014
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jun 19, 2014
Rep. Negrete McLeod, Gloria [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Jul 10, 2014
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Jul 17, 2014
Rep. Murphy, Patrick [D-FL-18]	D · FL		Jul 17, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 8, 2013
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 19, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1047	Identical bill	May 23, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Summary (as of May 23, 2013)

Families for Foster Youth Stamp Act of 2013 - Requires the United States Postal Service, for a period of at least four years, to provide for the issuance and sale of a semipostal in order to increase funding for effective programs targeted at improving permanency outcomes for youth in foster care.

Divides the amount received from such sales equally between: (1) programs and activities under the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment and Adoption Reform Act of 1978 that specifically target improvement in permanency outcomes for youth in foster care through adoption, guardianship, or kinship care; and (2) the program for state courts to assess and improve handling of proceedings relating to foster care and adoption.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 8, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Jun 19, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources.
- **May 23, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **May 23, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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.