

HR 3074

IRS Abuse Protection Act of 2013

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Sep 10, 2013

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Sep 10, 2013)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Fincher, Stephen Lee [R-TN-8]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Sep 10, 2013
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Nov 12, 2013
Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Feb 5, 2014
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Feb 5, 2014
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Feb 5, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1489	Identical bill	Sep 10, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

IRS Abuse Protection Act of 2013 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to require the Secretary of the Treasury to provide written notice to a taxpayer any time such taxpayer's account, tax return, or return information is accessed by the Department of the Treasury. Requires such notice to include: (1) who accessed such information, (2) the purpose for which such information was accessed, (3) how much information was accessed, (4) a copy of all information accessed, and (5) a notice of taxpayer rights. Prohibits the Secretary from providing access to or disclosing taxpayer information to a state entity conducting an investigation until such entity agrees to notify the Secretary, within one year after the investigation is closed, of the identity of who accessed such information, what was accessed, and why and how such information was accessed.

Requires the Inspector General for Tax Administration of the Department of the Treasury to notify a taxpayer of an investigation by the Inspector General of any unauthorized use of a taxpayer's account, tax return, or tax information and provide full access to any report with respect to such investigation.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 10, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2013:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1276)
- **Sep 10, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.