

## HR 3445

Stop Deducting Damages Act of 2013

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Oct 30, 2013

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Oct 30, 2013)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/3445>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Oct 30, 2013
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Nov 15, 2013
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Nov 15, 2013
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Nov 15, 2013
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Nov 15, 2013
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Nov 21, 2013
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Jan 17, 2014
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Mar 5, 2014

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 30, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Oct 30, 2013)

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Stop Deducting Damages Act of 2013 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) deny a tax deduction for any amount paid or incurred for compensatory or punitive damages in connection with any judgment in, or settlement of, any action against a government; and (2) include in gross income any amount paid as insurance or otherwise due to liability for punitive damages.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 30, 2013:** Introduced in House
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