

## HR 355

To increase the statutory limit on the public debt only upon the certification by the President of the submission to the States for their ratification of the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States to balance the Federal Budget or limit Federal spending.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Economics and Public Finance

**Introduced:** Jan 23, 2013

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jan 23, 2013)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/355>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 23, 2013

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 23, 2013)

Increases the current public debt limit from \$14.294 trillion to \$16.994 trillion after the President certifies and submits to the states for ratification a joint resolution entitled:

- "Joint resolution proposing a balanced budget amendment to the U.S. Constitution,"
- "Joint resolution proposing a spending limit amendment to the U.S. Constitution," or
- "Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the U.S. Constitution to restrict the power of Congress to enact legislation increasing any amount spent under entitlement programs or creating new entitlement programs."

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 23, 2013:** Introduced in House
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