

## HJRES 43

Removing the deadline for the ratification of the equal rights amendment.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

**Introduced:** May 9, 2013

**Current Status:** Ms. Speier asked unanimous consent that she be considered the first sponsor of H.J. Res. 43, removin

**Latest Action:** Ms. Speier asked unanimous consent that she be considered the first sponsor of H.J. Res. 43, removing the deadline for the ratification of the equal rights amendment, a bill originally introduced by Representative Robert Andrews of New Jersey, for the purposes of adding cosponsors and requesting re-printings pursuant to clause 7 of rule 12. (Mar 12, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-joint-resolution/43>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (106 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		May 9, 2013
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		May 9, 2013
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 9, 2013
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Dingell, John D. [D-MI-12]	D · MI		May 9, 2013
Rep. Edwards, Donna F. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		May 9, 2013
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		May 9, 2013
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		May 9, 2013
Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		May 9, 2013
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		May 9, 2013
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		May 9, 2013
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		May 9, 2013
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		May 9, 2013
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		May 9, 2013
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		May 9, 2013
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		May 9, 2013
Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		May 9, 2013
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 9, 2013
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 9, 2013
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		May 9, 2013
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		May 9, 2013
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Carney, John C., Jr. [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jun 3, 2013

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Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2013
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jun 3, 2013
Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Braley, Bruce L. [D-IA-1]	D · IA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2013
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jun 20, 2013
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jul 8, 2013
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Jul 19, 2013
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 19, 2013
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Jul 19, 2013
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Jul 19, 2013
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jul 30, 2013

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Rep. Murphy, Patrick [D-FL-18]	D · FL		Jul 30, 2013
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jul 30, 2013
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Aug 2, 2013
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Sep 18, 2013
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Sep 18, 2013
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Sep 30, 2013
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Barber, Ron [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		Oct 23, 2013
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Oct 23, 2013
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Hahn, Janice [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Nov 14, 2013
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Nov 20, 2013
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Nov 20, 2013
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Nov 20, 2013
Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Nov 20, 2013
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Dec 12, 2013
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Mar 24, 2014

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 14, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HJRES 113	Identical bill	Apr 16, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
113 SJRES 15	Identical bill	May 9, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Summary (as of May 9, 2013)

Eliminates the time limit for ratification of the equal rights amendment (prohibits discrimination on account of sex) proposed to the states in House Joint Resolution 208 of the 92nd Congress, as agreed to in the Senate on March 22, 1972. Declares that such amendment shall be part of the Constitution whenever ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 12, 2014:** Ms. Speier asked unanimous consent that she be considered the first sponsor of H.J. Res. 43, removing the deadline for the ratification of the equal rights amendment, a bill originally introduced by Representative Robert Andrews of New Jersey, for the purposes of adding cosponsors and requesting re-printings pursuant to clause 7 of rule 12.
- **Jun 14, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **May 9, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **May 9, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.