

## HR 501

### Marijuana Tax Equity Act of 2013

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Feb 5, 2013

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Feb 5, 2013)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/501>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]

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

## Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Feb 5, 2013
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 5, 2013
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Feb 13, 2013
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 13, 2013
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Mar 4, 2013
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2013
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		May 6, 2013
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jun 12, 2013
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Oct 15, 2013

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 5, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Marijuana Tax Equity Act of 2013 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to impose an excise tax on: (1) the sale of marijuana by producers or importers of such drug equal to 50% of the sales price, and (2) each person who is engaged in a marijuana enterprise. Defines "marijuana enterprise" to mean a producer, importer, manufacturer, distributor, retailer or any person who transports, stores, displays, or otherwise participates in any business activity that handles marijuana or marijuana products.

Requires any person who engages in a marijuana enterprise to obtain a permit to engage in such business. Imposes civil and criminal penalties for violations of the requirements of this Act.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 5, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 5, 2013:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E98)
- **Feb 5, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.