

## HR 5132

### Preventing Termination of Utility Services in Bankruptcy Act of 2014

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

**Introduced:** Jul 17, 2014

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law. (Sep 2, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/5132>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]

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

## Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 17, 2014
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jul 17, 2014
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 17, 2014
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Jul 17, 2014
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jul 22, 2014

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 2, 2014

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Jul 17, 2014)

Preventing Termination of Utility Services in Bankruptcy Act of 2014 - Amends federal bankruptcy law, with respect to the prohibition against disruption of utility services to a debtor, to declare that an individual debtor may not be required to furnish assurance of payment if he or she pays, within 20 days after the date of the order for relief, those debts owed to a utility for service during that period, and afterward also pays when due debts owed for service during the pendency of the case in bankruptcy.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 2, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law.
- **Jul 17, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 17, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1193)
- **Jul 17, 2014:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.