

## HR 2631

Regulatory Predictability for Business Growth Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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**Current Status:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

**Latest Action:** Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Nov 3, 2015)

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		Jun 25, 2015
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Sep 28, 2015
Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Oct 26, 2015
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Oct 26, 2015
Rep. Brat, Dave [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Feb 10, 2016
Rep. Bridenstine, Jim [R-OK-1]	R · OK		May 24, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Nov 3, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 1487	Identical bill	<b>Jun 3, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR CR S3680-3681)

## **Regulatory Predictability for Business Growth Act of 2015**

This bill adds the definitions of "longstanding interpretive rule" and "revise" to the Administrative Procedure Act (APA). A longstanding interpretive rule is distinguished from an "interpretive rule" if it has been in effect for at least one year. If a rule is a longstanding interpretive rule, it remains subject to the general notice of proposed rulemaking and comment and publication provisions of the APA.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 3, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jun 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law.
- **Jun 3, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 3, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.