

## HR 27

Tax Code Termination Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jan 6, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Jan 6, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/27>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]

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

**Cosponsors** (144 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Amash, Justin [R-MI-3]	R · MI		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Culberson, John Abney [R-TX-7]	R · TX		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Flores, Bill [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Forbes, J. Randy [R-VA-4]	R · VA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Long, Billy [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Marino, Tom [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Mulvaney, Mick [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Westmoreland, Lynn A. [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Woodall, Rob [R-GA-7]	R · GA		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Jan 6, 2015
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Benishek, Dan [R-MI-1]	R · MI		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Fleming, John [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]	R · CA		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Lucas, Frank D. [R-OK-3]	R · OK		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Jan 7, 2015

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Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Jan 7, 2015
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-50]	R · CA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]	R · NH		Jan 9, 2015
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Jan 9, 2015
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Jan 9, 2015
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jan 9, 2015
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. Hurt, Robert [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. Ribble, Reid J. [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Jan 12, 2015
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Jan 13, 2015
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Jan 13, 2015
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		Jan 13, 2015
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Jan 13, 2015
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-10]	R · FL		Jan 13, 2015
Rep. Brat, Dave [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Jan 14, 2015
Rep. Ratcliffe, John [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Jan 14, 2015
Rep. Farenthold, Blake [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Jan 22, 2015
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Jan 22, 2015
Rep. Rigell, E. Scott [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Jan 22, 2015
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Feb 4, 2015
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Feb 10, 2015
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Feb 11, 2015
Rep. Bridenstine, Jim [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Feb 25, 2015
Rep. Jordan, Jim [R-OH-4]	R · OH		Feb 26, 2015
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Mar 10, 2015
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Mar 19, 2015
Rep. DeSantis, Ron [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Mar 25, 2015
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Apr 13, 2015
Rep. Palazzo, Steven M. [R-MS-4]	R · MS		May 5, 2015
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		May 8, 2015
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Jul 27, 2015
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jul 29, 2015

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Fincher, Stephen Lee [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Sep 11, 2015
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Sep 18, 2015
Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Nov 2, 2015
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Nov 2, 2015
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Nov 4, 2015
Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Nov 5, 2015
Rep. Byrne, Bradley [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Nov 5, 2015
Rep. Huelskamp, Tim [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Nov 16, 2015
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Nov 16, 2015
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Nov 16, 2015
Rep. Labrador, Raul R. [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Dec 2, 2015
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Dec 8, 2015
Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Jan 5, 2016
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Jan 11, 2016
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Feb 1, 2016
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Feb 2, 2016
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Feb 4, 2016
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Massie, Thomas [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Feb 9, 2016
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Feb 10, 2016
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Feb 11, 2016
Rep. Gowdy, Trey [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Feb 11, 2016
Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-4]	R · CA		Feb 11, 2016
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Feb 11, 2016
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Feb 11, 2016
Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Graves, Tom [R-GA-14]	R · GA		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Holding, George [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Mica, John L. [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Pompeo, Mike [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Rogers, Harold [R-KY-5]	R · KY		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Feb 12, 2016
Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Feb 23, 2016

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Rep. Zinke, Ryan K. [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Feb 23, 2016
Rep. Sanford, Mark [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Mar 3, 2016
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Mar 14, 2016
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Mar 22, 2016
Rep. Shuster, Bill [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Apr 14, 2016
Rep. Barton, Joe [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Apr 26, 2016
Rep. Rothfus, Keith J. [R-PA-12]	R · PA		May 16, 2016
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		May 24, 2016
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		May 25, 2016
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-4]	R · PA		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Salmon, Matt [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Trott, David A. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Jul 14, 2016
Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4]	R · MO		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Renacci, James B. [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Sep 28, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 6, 2015
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 6, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Tax Code Termination Act**

Terminates the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 after December 31, 2019, except for self-employment taxes, Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA) taxes, and railroad retirement taxes. Requires a two-thirds majority vote in Congress to change such termination date.

Declares that any new federal tax system should be a simple and fair system that: (1) applies a low rate to all Americans, (2) provides tax relief for working Americans, (3) protects the rights of taxpayers and reduces tax collection abuses, (4) eliminates the bias against savings and investment, (5) promotes economic growth and job creation, and (6) does not penalize marriage or families.

Requires that the new federal tax system be approved by Congress in its final form by July 4, 2019.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 6, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 6, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1-2)
- **Jan 6, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.