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Stop Targeting of Political Beliefs by the IRS Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 28, 2015)

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Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 28, 2015
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Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Jan 28, 2015
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Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. McConnell, Mitch [R-KY]	R · KY		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Paul, Rand [R-KY]	R · KY		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Perdue, David [R-GA]	R · GA		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Portman, Rob [R-OH]	R · OH		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Shelby, Richard C. [R-AL]	R · AL		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]	R · PA		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 28, 2015
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Feb 9, 2015
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 24, 2015
Sen. Coats, Daniel [R-IN]	R · IN		Aug 5, 2015

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 28, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 599	Related bill	Jan 28, 2015: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## Summary (as of Jan 28, 2015)

### Stop Targeting of Political Beliefs by the IRS Act of 2015

Requires the Internal Revenue Service standards and definitions in effect on January 1, 2010, for determining whether an organization qualifies for tax-exempt status as an organization operated exclusively for social welfare to apply to such determinations after enactment of this Act. Prohibits the Secretary of the Treasury, or any delegate of the Secretary, from issuing, revising, or finalizing any regulation (including proposed regulations), revenue ruling, or other guidance not limited to a particular taxpayer relating to such standards and definitions. Terminates this Act after February 28, 2017.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jan 28, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 28, 2015:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.