

HR 4174

Manufacturing Skills Act of 2015

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (1 total)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 3, 2015
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 3, 2015
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 30, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 1542	Related bill	Jun 10, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Manufacturing Skills Act of 2015

This bill requires the Department of Commerce, Department of Labor, Department of Education, Department of Defense and the Director of the National Science Foundation to jointly establish a Manufacturing Skills Partnership to administer and carry out a program to award competitive, three-year grants to enable up to five states and five metropolitan areas to carry out proposals to promote reforms in workforce education and skill training for manufacturing.

The Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology shall:

- acting through the Advanced Manufacturing National Program Office, conduct an audit of all federal education and skills training programs related to manufacturing to ensure that states and metropolitan areas are able to align federal resources with the labor demands of their primary manufacturing industries; and
- work with states and metropolitan areas to determine how federal funds can be more tailored to meet their different needs.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 30, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Technology.
- **Dec 3, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 3, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, and Appropriations, 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.