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Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require each report of a committee on a public bill or public joint resolution to include an analysis of whether the bill or joint resolution creates a program, office, or initiative that would duplicate or overlap with an existing program, office, or initiative, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]

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

Cosponsors (19 total)

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| Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5] | D · TN | | Jan 22, 2015 |
| Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6] | R · PA | | Jan 22, 2015 |
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| Rep. Jolly, David W. [R-FL-13] | R · FL | | Jan 22, 2015 |
| Rep. Murphy, Patrick [D-FL-18] | D · FL | | Jan 22, 2015 |
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| Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5] | D · OR | | Jan 22, 2015 |
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| Rep. Zinke, Ryan K. [R-MT-At Large] | R · MT | | Jan 22, 2015 |
| Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8] | R · PA | | Jan 27, 2015 |
| Rep. Mulvaney, Mick [R-SC-5] | R · SC | | Jan 27, 2015 |
| Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3] | R · KS | | Jan 27, 2015 |
| Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6] | R · AZ | | Feb 2, 2015 |
| Rep. Forbes, J. Randy [R-VA-4] | R · VA | | Feb 4, 2015 |
| Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4] | R · WA | | Feb 25, 2015 |
| Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16] | D · CA | | Mar 16, 2015 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Rules Committee | House | Referred To | Jan 22, 2015 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 22, 2015)

Amends Rule XIII (the Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico) of the Rules of the House of Representatives to require each committee report on a public bill or joint resolution to contain:

- an analysis by the Congressional Research Service (CRS) of whether the measure creates any new federal program, office, or initiative that would duplicate or overlap with any existing federal entity with similar mission, purpose, goals, or activities, along with a listing of all the instances of duplication or overlapping; and
- if the analysis indicates that the new program, office, or initiative would create duplication or overlapping, the committee's explanation as to why such creation is necessary.

Makes it out of order in the House to consider a committee report on such legislation unless the committee has posted on its website the analysis and (if necessary) the explanation.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 26, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H587)
- **Jan 22, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 22, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Rules.