

HR 4718

Gender Diversity in Corporate Leadership Act of 2016

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Finance and Financial Sector

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Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. (Mar 7, 2016)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Mar 7, 2016
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Mar 7, 2016
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		May 10, 2016
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Sep 22, 2016
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Sep 28, 2016
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Nov 16, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 7, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill directs the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) to establish a Gender Diversity Advisory Group, composed of government, academic, and private sector representatives, to study strategies to increase gender diversity among the members of the boards of directors of issuers.

The Securities Exchange Act of 1934 is amended to direct the SEC, by rule, to require each issuer to disclose, in any proxy or consent solicitation material for an annual shareholders meeting, the gender composition of the issuer's board of directors and nominees for it.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 7, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 7, 2016:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E284)
- **Mar 7, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.