

## HR 5044

Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2016 to respond to Zika virus.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Apr 25, 2016

**Current Status:** Motion to Discharge Committee filed by Mrs. Lowey. Petition No: 114-5. (<

**Latest Action:** Motion to Discharge Committee filed by Mrs. Lowey. Petition No: 114-5. (<

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### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17]

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

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Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Apr 29, 2016
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Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 16, 2016
Rep. Edwards, Donna F. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		May 16, 2016
Rep. Graham, Gwen [D-FL-2]	D · FL		May 16, 2016
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Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		May 16, 2016
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Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 16, 2016
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Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		May 16, 2016
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		May 16, 2016
Resident Commissioner Pierluisi, Pedro R. [D-PR-At Large]	D · PR		May 16, 2016
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Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		May 17, 2016
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		May 17, 2016
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		May 17, 2016

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Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		May 17, 2016
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 17, 2016
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		May 18, 2016
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		May 18, 2016
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		May 18, 2016
Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		May 18, 2016
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		May 18, 2016
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-22]	D · FL		May 18, 2016
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		May 18, 2016
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		May 18, 2016
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		May 18, 2016
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 18, 2016
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		May 18, 2016
Rep. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL-8]	D · IL		May 19, 2016
Rep. Sanchez, Loretta [D-CA-46]	D · CA		May 19, 2016
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		May 19, 2016
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		May 19, 2016
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		May 25, 2016
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		May 25, 2016
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		May 25, 2016
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-21]	D · FL		May 25, 2016
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		May 25, 2016
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 25, 2016
Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3]	D · NM		May 25, 2016
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		May 25, 2016
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		May 25, 2016
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		May 25, 2016
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		May 26, 2016
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		May 26, 2016
Rep. Ashford, Brad [D-NE-2]	D · NE		May 26, 2016
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		May 26, 2016
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		May 26, 2016
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		May 26, 2016

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Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		May 26, 2016
Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6]	D · SC		May 26, 2016
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		May 26, 2016
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		May 26, 2016
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		May 26, 2016
Rep. Hahn, Janice [D-CA-44]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10]	D · WA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		May 26, 2016
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		May 26, 2016
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		May 26, 2016
Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		May 26, 2016
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		May 26, 2016
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		May 26, 2016
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Loebsack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		May 26, 2016
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		May 26, 2016
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		May 26, 2016
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		May 26, 2016
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		May 26, 2016
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		May 26, 2016
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 31, 2016
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		May 31, 2016
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		May 31, 2016
Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		May 31, 2016
Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]	D · MN		May 31, 2016
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]	D · MD		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2016

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Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Takai, Mark [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Jun 8, 2016
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jun 9, 2016
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jun 9, 2016
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jun 9, 2016
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Jun 10, 2016
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jun 10, 2016
Rep. Becerra, Xavier [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Carney, John C., Jr. [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Jun 14, 2016
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 16, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 25, 2016
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 25, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 6040	Related bill	<b>Sep 15, 2016:</b> Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.
114 S 2843	Related bill	<b>Apr 21, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S2390)

This bill provides FY2016 emergency supplemental appropriations to the Departments of State and Health and Human Services (HHS) to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the Zika virus and other infectious diseases.

The bill specifies permissible uses for the funds and designates the funds as an emergency requirement, which exempts the funds from discretionary spending limits.

The bill provides appropriations to HHS for:

- the Food and Drug Administration,
- the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,
- the National Institutes of Health, and
- the Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund.

The bill amends the Public Health Service Act to permit Project BioShield to be used to support the advanced development and procurement of medical countermeasures to diagnose, mitigate, prevent, or treat harm from any infectious disease that may pose a threat to the public health. (Under current law, Project BioShield supports only countermeasures against specific chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear terrorist threats.)

The bill temporarily increases from 55% to 65% the Medicaid Federal Medical Assistance Percentage in the territories (Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Northern Mariana Islands).

The bill provides appropriations to the Department of State for:

- the Administration of Foreign Affairs,
- the U.S. Agency for International Development,
- Bilateral Economic Assistance,
- International Security Assistance, and
- Multilateral Assistance.

Unobligated balances of specified funds provided for the Ebola virus may be used to respond to the Zika virus and other infectious diseases.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 21, 2016:** Motion to Discharge Committee filed by Mrs. Lowey. Petition No: 114-5. (<a href="http://clerk.house.gov/114/lrc/pd/petitions/DisPet0005.xml ">Discharge petition</a> text with signatures.)
- **Apr 25, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 25, 2016:** Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.