

HR 5196

Americans Giving Care to Elders (AGE) Act of 2016

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training. (Sep 19, 2016)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-3]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		May 11, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2016
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 11, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 879	Related bill	Mar 26, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow caregivers a tax credit for up to \$6,000 of the eldercare expenses incurred for their parents (or ancestors of such parents).

It also amends the Older Americans Act of 1965 to: (1) increase and extend through FY2020 the authorization of appropriations for the National Family Caregiver Support Program, and (2) require the Department of Health and Human Services to award a grant to or enter into a cooperative agreement with a public or private nonprofit entity to establish a National Resource Center on Family Caregiving to provide information on and support for family caregiver support programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 19, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
- **May 11, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **May 11, 2016:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.