

HR 782

Cancel the Sequester Act of 2015

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: Feb 5, 2015

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Budget.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Budget. (Feb 5, 2015)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]

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

Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Feb 9, 2015
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Feb 9, 2015
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Feb 11, 2015
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 13, 2015
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Feb 20, 2015
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Mar 18, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 5, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 5, 2015)

Cancel the Sequester Act of 2015

This bill repeals provisions of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 that authorize sequestration to enforce specified deficit reduction goals. Sequestration is a process of automatic, usually across-the-board spending reductions under which budgetary resources are permanently cancelled to enforce specific budget policy goals.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 5, 2015:** Introduced in House
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