

## HRES 828

Impeaching John Andrew Koskinen, Commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service, for high crimes and misdemeanors.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jul 13, 2016

**Current Status:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Dec 6, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-resolution/828>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Fleming, John [R-LA-4]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Huelskamp, Tim [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jul 13, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 20, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HRES 494	Related bill	<b>Oct 27, 2015:</b> Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Resolves that John Andrew Koskinen, Commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), is impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors and that specified articles of impeachment be exhibited to the Senate.

Sets forth articles of impeachment specifying that John Andrew Koskinen, in his conduct while Commissioner of the IRS:

- engaged in a pattern of conduct that is incompatible with his duties as an officer of the United States by failing to respond to lawfully issued congressional subpoenas,
- engaged in a pattern of deception that demonstrates his unfitness to serve by making a series of false and misleading statements to Congress in contravention of his oath to tell the truth,
- acted in a manner inconsistent with the trust and confidence placed in him as an officer of the United States, and
- failed to act with competence and forthrightness in overseeing the investigation into IRS targeting of Americans because of their political affiliations.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 6, 2016:** QUESTION OF THE PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE - Mr. Jordan rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted a privileged resolution. The Clerk reported the text of the resolution and the Chair determined that the resolution did constitute a question of the privileges of the House.
- **Dec 6, 2016:** Considered as privileged matter. (consideration: CR H7252-7254; text of measure as introduced: CR H7252-7253)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** Ms. Pelosi moved to table the measure. (consideration: CR H7253)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** On motion to table the measure Failed by the Yeas and Nays: 180 - 235 (Roll no. 607). (consideration: CR H7253)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** Mr. Goodlatte moved to refer to the Judiciary. (consideration: CR H7254)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on the Goodlatte motion to refer H. Res. 828 to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Dec 6, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Dec 6, 2016:** The previous question on the motion to refer was ordered without objection. (consideration: CR H7254)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** On motion to refer Agreed to by recorded vote: 342 - 72 (Roll No. 608). (consideration: CR H7254)
- **Dec 6, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 20, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Jul 13, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 13, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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