

HR 841

New IDEA Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security. (Mar 16, 2015)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-4]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Feb 10, 2015
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Feb 10, 2015
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Feb 10, 2015
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Sep 10, 2015
Rep. Fleming, John [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Dec 16, 2015
Rep. Ellmers, Renee L. [R-NC-2]	R · NC		Feb 23, 2016
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Nov 15, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 10, 2015
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 16, 2015
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 10, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

New IDEA Act or the New Illegal Deduction Elimination Act

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to deny a tax deduction for wages and benefits paid to or on behalf of an unauthorized alien. Extends to six years the period for assessing and collecting underpayments of tax due to deductions claimed for wages paid to unauthorized aliens.

Directs the Commissioner of Social Security and the Secretaries of Homeland Security (DHS) and the Treasury to jointly establish a program to share information that may lead to the identification of unauthorized aliens. Requires the Secretary of the Treasury to provide taxpayer identity information to the Commissioner of Social Security and the DHS Secretary on employers who paid nondeductible wages to unauthorized aliens and on the aliens to whom such wages were paid.

Amends the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to: (1) make permanent the E-Verify Program for verifying the employment eligibility of alien workers, (2) apply such program to current employees in addition to new hires, (3) establish a rebuttable presumption that employers who participate in the E-Verify Program and obtain confirmation of identity and employment eligibility have not violated hiring requirements under such Act, and (4) allow employers participating in the E-Verify Program to make a conditional offer of employment pending final verification of the identity and employment eligibility of the job applicant.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Feb 10, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Education and the Workforce, 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.