

## HR 863

### STARS Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 16, 2015)

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

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Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Mar 16, 2015
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Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Apr 13, 2015
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Apr 13, 2015

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Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Apr 21, 2015
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Apr 21, 2015
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Apr 21, 2015
Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Apr 28, 2015
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Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Sep 10, 2015
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Sep 11, 2015
Rep. Price, Tom [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Sep 11, 2015
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Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Nov 3, 2015
Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Dec 9, 2015
Rep. Rohrabacher, Dana [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Dec 16, 2015
Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Feb 10, 2016
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Mar 2, 2016
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Mar 22, 2016
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Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		May 10, 2016
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Rep. Gibson, Christopher P. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Sep 20, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 16, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 1809	Related bill	<b>Jul 21, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

### Summary (as of Feb 11, 2015)

#### Simplifying Technical Aspects Regarding Seasonality Act of 2015 or the STARS Act

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to exempt seasonal employees from the definition of "full-time employee" for purposes of the employer mandate to provide employees with minimum essential health care coverage. Defines "seasonal employee" as an employee who is employed in a position for which the customary annual employment is not more than six months and which requires performing labor or services that are ordinarily performed at certain seasons or periods of the year.

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 11, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 11, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.