

## HR 954

CO-OP Consumer Protection Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Feb 12, 2015

**Current Status:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 653.

**Latest Action:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 653. (Sep 29, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/954>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

| Cosponsor                        | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|----------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]  | R · NE        |      | Feb 24, 2015 |
| Rep. Blum, Rod [R-IA-1]          | R · IA        |      | Feb 27, 2015 |
| Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]       | R · SC        |      | Apr 18, 2016 |
| Rep. Renacci, James B. [R-OH-16] | R · OH        |      | Jun 7, 2016  |
| Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]   | R · IL        |      | Jul 14, 2016 |
| Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]   | R · IL        |      | Jul 14, 2016 |
| Rep. Dold, Robert J. [R-IL-10]   | R · IL        |      | Sep 7, 2016  |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                | Chamber | Activity        | Date        |
|--------------------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|
| Ways and Means Committee | House   | Discharged from | Sep 8, 2016 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

| Bill         | Relationship         | Last Action  |
|--------------|----------------------|--|
| 114 HRES 893 | Procedurally related | <b>Sep 27, 2016:</b> Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. |
| 114 S 3311   | Related bill         | <b>Sep 12, 2016:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.                |

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on September 22, 2016. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

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(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to temporarily exempt from penalties for failing to purchase and maintain minimum essential health care coverage individuals whose coverage under a plan offered by a qualified nonprofit health insurance issuer receiving funds through the Consumer Operated and Oriented Plan program was terminated. The exemption applies as of the first month for which the coverage was terminated and continues for the remaining months of the calendar year.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 29, 2016:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 653.
- **Sep 28, 2016:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Rule H. Res. 893 passed House.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 893. (consideration: CR H5954-5961)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 954 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. Bill is closed to amendments. The amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 954.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule. (consideration: CR H5960)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by recorded vote: 258 - 165 (Roll no. 563).(text: CR H5954)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** On passage Passed by recorded vote: 258 - 165 (Roll no. 563). (text: CR H5954)
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 26, 2016:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 893 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 954 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. Bill is closed to amendments. The amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted.
- **Sep 22, 2016:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Ways and Means. H. Rept. 114-784.
- **Sep 22, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 612.
- **Sep 8, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 8, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 8, 2016:** Subcommittee on Health Discharged.
- **Feb 27, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 12, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 12, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.