

## HR 1065

Biennial Budgeting and Enhanced Oversight Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Economics and Public Finance

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**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/1065>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]

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

**Cosponsors** (60 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Collins, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8]	R · CA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Duffy, Sean P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Russell, Steve [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Feb 15, 2017

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Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]	D · MN		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Zeldin, Lee M. [R-NY-1]	R · NY		Feb 15, 2017
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Sanford, Mark [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Apr 24, 2017
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Jordan, Jim [R-OH-4]	R · OH		May 2, 2017
Rep. Esty, Elizabeth H. [D-CT-5]	D · CT		May 3, 2017
Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		May 3, 2017
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		May 16, 2017
Rep. Trott, David A. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		May 24, 2017
Rep. Curbelo, Carlos [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Donovan, Daniel M., Jr. [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Sep 5, 2017
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Sep 5, 2017
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Jan 8, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 15, 2017
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 15, 2017
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 15, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5214	Related bill	<b>Mar 8, 2018:</b> Referred to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, Oversight and Government Reform, and House Administration, 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.

## **Biennial Budgeting and Enhanced Oversight Act of 2017**

This bill amends the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the Congressional Budget Impoundment and Control Act of 1974, and the Rules of the House of Representatives to change the process for the President's budget submission, congressional budget resolutions, appropriations bills, and government strategic and performance plans from the current annual process to a biennial process, in which a biennium is the two consecutive fiscal years beginning on October 1 of any odd-numbered year.

The House Budget Committee must use the second session of each Congress to study issues with long-term budgetary and economic implications.

The bill creates a point of order in the House and Senate against authorizations of appropriations that do not include specific authorizations covering at least each fiscal year in one or more bienniums.

### **Actions Timeline**

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