

## HCONRES 146

Expressing the sense of Congress on the need to inform American consumers with more balanced purchasing information for prescription drugs through the disclosure of price information in direct-to-consumer (DTC) advertisements.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Dec 20, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. (Dec 20, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-concurrent-resolution/146>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 20, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 20, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

Expresses the sense of Congress that:

- the efficient administration of Medicare and Medicaid encompasses federal efforts to achieve good value for funds spent in those programs;
- the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has the authority to require direct-to-consumer television advertisements of prescription drugs and biological products to include the drug or product's list price; and
- the proposed rule by the CMS published in the Federal Register on October 18, 2018, when finalized, shall be codified without change.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 20, 2018:** Introduced in House
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