

## HR 1548

Real Time Transparency Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Mar 15, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration. (Mar 15, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/1548>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor                               | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10] | D · IL        |      | Jun 21, 2018 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                         | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Committee on House Administration | House   | Referred To | Mar 15, 2017 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

| Bill       | Relationship | Last Action   |
|------------|--------------|---|
| 115 S 1880 | Related bill | <b>Sep 27, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.                 |
| 115 S 589  | Related bill | <b>Mar 9, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. |

## **Real Time Transparency Act of 2017**

This bill amends the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to revise the notification requirement for campaign contributions of \$1,000 or more. The bill applies this requirement to any political committee, not just a candidate's principal campaign committee, regarding cumulative contributions (instead of single contributions) of \$1,000 or more during a calendar year. Only the Federal Election Commission (FEC) must be notified, instead of the FEC and others.

Any amount transferred by a joint fundraising committee established by a candidate's authorized committee to any other authorized committee of that candidate shall be treated as a contribution.

Senate candidates must file designations, statements, and reports directly with the FEC instead of via the Senate.

## **Actions Timeline**

---

- **Mar 15, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 15, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

# LegiList

CONGRESS, MADE CLEAR.

## Search Every Federal Bill, Law, and Vote

LegiList is the fastest way to research Congress. Track any bill from introduction to enactment, see how every legislator voted, follow committee activity, and read the full text of every bill — all in one place, always up to date.

[legiList.com](https://legiList.com)

## Free Course: Learn How Congress Actually Works

LegiList Learn is a free, self-paced course that walks through the entire legislative process — from drafting a bill to a presidential signature. Seven modules, plain language, no politics. Earn a certificate when you finish.

[legiList.com/learn](https://legiList.com/learn)

## Developer API: Build Apps on Legislative Data

The LegiList API gives developers direct access to bills, votes, legislators, committees, and more. Start free with 1,000 requests per day — no credit card required. Upgrade to Pro when you need to scale.

[legiList.com/api](https://legiList.com/api)

Public data belongs to the public. — [legiList.com](https://legiList.com)