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Middle Class Tax Break Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 19, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 19, 2017)

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow a working America tax credit equal to the lesser of: (1) 6.2% of the earned income of the taxpayer, or (2) \$500 (\$1,000 in the case of a joint return or a head of a household).

Individuals whose modified adjusted gross income does not exceed \$100,000 (\$200,000 in the case of a joint return or a head of a household) are eligible for the credit.

The following individuals or entities are ineligible for the credit: (1) estates or trusts, (2) nonresident aliens, (3) individuals who do not include a Social Security number on their tax return, and (4) individuals for whom another taxpayer is allowed a deduction for a personal exemption.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 19, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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