

## HR 2168

First Responders Passport Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** House

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### Sponsor

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Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Apr 26, 2017
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Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Apr 26, 2017
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Rep. Graves, Garret [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Apr 27, 2017
Rep. Knight, Stephen [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Apr 28, 2017
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-IN-8]	R · IN		May 1, 2017
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		May 1, 2017
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		May 2, 2017
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		May 3, 2017

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 26, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Apr 26, 2017)

### First Responders Passport Act of 2017

This bill amends the Passport Act of 1920 to waive passport fees for an individual who is operating under a contract, grant, or cooperative agreement with the U.S. government, including a volunteer, to aid a foreign country suffering from a qualifying natural disaster.

The Department of State shall report to Congress on the number of fee waivers for the issuance of passports to first responders.

## Actions Timeline

- **Apr 26, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 26, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.