

HR 2249

HAND UP Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

Introduced: Apr 28, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition. (May 19, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Byrne, Bradley [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Apr 28, 2017
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Apr 28, 2017
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3]	R · PA		Apr 28, 2017
Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Apr 28, 2017
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		May 16, 2017
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		May 18, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	May 19, 2017
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 28, 2017
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2017
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 28, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	May 11, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Help Americans in Need Develop Their Ultimate Potential Act or the HAND UP Act

This bill allows state entities administering specified social-welfare programs to carry out demonstration projects designed to support individuals and families with the goal of moving them towards self-sufficiency, reducing dependence, and increasing work and earnings by testing methods of program integration and coordination of services.

Actions Timeline

- **May 19, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition.
- **May 11, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources.
- **May 5, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 28, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 28, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, Financial Services, Education and the Workforce, and Energy and Commerce, 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.