

## HR 228

### Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Consolidation Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Jan 3, 2017

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 115-93.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 115-93. (Dec 18, 2017)

**Law:** 115-93 (Enacted Dec 18, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/228>

#### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]

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

#### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 10, 2017

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

##### **Policy Area:**

Native Americans

#### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 91	Identical bill	Apr 25, 2017: Star Print ordered on report 115-26.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on February 27, 2017. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

### **Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Consolidation Act of 2017**

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Demonstration Act of 1992 to rename the Act to the Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Act of 1992 and to revise the program that provides for the integration of employment, training, and related services programs for Indian tribes.

(Sec. 6) The bill revises the types of programs that may be integrated.

(Sec. 8) The bill revises the process for: (1) federal agencies to grant or deny a tribe's request to waive statutory, regulatory, or administrative requirements to efficiently implement an integration plan; and (2) the Department of the Interior to approve or disapprove an integration plan. A tribe is granted certain hearing and appeal rights if Interior disapproves its plan.

(Sec. 10) Tribal authority to use funds to place participants in training positions with employers is revised.

(Sec. 13) The Bureau of Indian Affairs must receive and distribute funds for use in accordance with an approved integration plan.

(Sec. 14) Funds transferred to a tribe must be treated as non-federal funds for purposes of meeting matching requirements, except funds administered by the Department of Labor or the Department of Health and Human Services.

Civil liability limitations apply to approved integration plans.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 18, 2017:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 18, 2017:** Became Public Law No: 115-93.
- **Dec 6, 2017:** Presented to President.
- **Nov 30, 2017:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Nov 29, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S7490)
- **Nov 29, 2017:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S7490)
- **Feb 28, 2017:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Feb 27, 2017:** Mr. McClinton moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Feb 27, 2017:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1326-1331)
- **Feb 27, 2017:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 228.
- **Feb 27, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H1326-1329)
- **Feb 27, 2017:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H1326-1329)
- **Feb 27, 2017:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 10, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Indian, Insular and Alaska Native Affairs.
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.