

## HR 2341

### SERVE Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** May 3, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (May 3, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/2341>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]

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

### Cosponsors (11 total)

| Cosponsor                        | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|----------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]          | D · WI        |      | May 3, 2017  |
| Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-3]        | R · PA        |      | Jun 22, 2017 |
| Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]         | R · NE        |      | Jun 29, 2017 |
| Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-16]    | R · PA        |      | Aug 29, 2017 |
| Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]  | D · NY        |      | Nov 13, 2017 |
| Rep. Pittenger, Robert [R-NC-9]  | R · NC        |      | Nov 13, 2017 |
| Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]       | R · MI        |      | Dec 21, 2017 |
| Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]     | R · NC        |      | Apr 16, 2018 |
| Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]         | R · KY        |      | Aug 21, 2018 |
| Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10] | R · VA        |      | Aug 21, 2018 |
| Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]        | R · MO        |      | Aug 21, 2018 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Ways and Means Committee | House   | Referred To | May 3, 2017 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship | Last Action  |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| 115 HR 6757 | Related bill | <b>Sep 28, 2018:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. |
| 115 S 674   | Related bill | <b>Mar 21, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.                            |

## **Seeking an End to Restrictions on Votive Employees Act or the SERVE Act**

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to specify that a retirement income account provided by a church or a convention or association of churches may cover: (1) a duly ordained, commissioned, or licensed minister of a church in the exercise of his ministry, regardless of the source of his compensation; (2) an employee of a tax-exempt organization, whether a civil law corporation or otherwise, that is controlled by or associated with a church or a convention or association of churches; and (3) certain employees who have been separated from service with a church, a convention or association of churches, or an organization described above.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
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