

## HR 2401

Anti-Lunch Shaming Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

**Introduced:** May 8, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (May 8, 2017)

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jun 7, 2017
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 7, 2017
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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 13, 2017
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Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jun 28, 2017
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Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jun 28, 2017
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Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2017
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 28, 2017
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Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jul 14, 2017
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2017

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Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Aug 1, 2017
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Aug 1, 2017
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Aug 1, 2017
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Aug 1, 2017
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Delaney, John K. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Sep 27, 2017
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Oct 2, 2017
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Oct 2, 2017
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Oct 2, 2017
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Oct 4, 2017
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Oct 4, 2017
Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]	D · MN		Oct 4, 2017
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. Hanabusa, Colleen [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Oct 10, 2017
Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Oct 11, 2017
Rep. Meehan, Patrick [R-PA-7]	R · PA		Oct 12, 2017
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Oct 19, 2017
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Oct 19, 2017
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Oct 19, 2017
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Oct 23, 2017
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Oct 23, 2017
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Oct 24, 2017
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Oct 31, 2017

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Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Oct 31, 2017
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Nov 3, 2017
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Nov 3, 2017
Rep. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Nov 21, 2017
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Nov 28, 2017
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Dec 1, 2017
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Dec 14, 2017
Rep. Faso, John J. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Dec 19, 2017
Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Dec 21, 2017
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Jan 18, 2018
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jan 25, 2018
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2018
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		May 8, 2018
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		May 16, 2018
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 22, 2018
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		May 22, 2018
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jun 1, 2018
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Jun 1, 2018
Rep. Hurd, Will [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Jun 6, 2018
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-18]	D · PA		Jul 23, 2018
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Jul 25, 2018
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Sep 7, 2018

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 8, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6977	Related bill	Sep 28, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.
115 S 1064	Identical bill	May 8, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

## **Anti-Lunch Shaming Act of 2017**

This bill amends the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to establish requirements for the treatment of a child who is a student at a school participating in the National School Lunch Program or the School Breakfast Program and is unable to pay for a meal at the school.

The bill applies to a child who either does not have funds to pay for a meal or has outstanding credit that was extended by a school food authority (SFA).

A SFA may not permit public identification or stigmatization of the child, such as by requiring a wristband or hand stamp. The child also may not be required to: (1) perform chores or activities that are not required of students generally, or (2) dispose of food after it has been served to the child.

Any communication related to outstanding credit must be directed to the child's parent or guardian. A child may be required to deliver a letter regarding outstanding credit that is addressed to a parent or guardian if the letter is not distributed to the child in a manner that stigmatizes the child.

The bill also expresses the sense of Congress regarding several issues regarding the administration of the school meal programs.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 8, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **May 8, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.