

## S 3251

### Federal Acquisition Savings Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Jul 19, 2018

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 669.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 669. (Nov 26, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3251>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** Senate

## Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jul 19, 2018
Sen. Paul, Rand [R-KY]	R · KY		Jul 19, 2018

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 26, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 3071	Related bill	Nov 14, 2017: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## Summary (as of Jul 19, 2018)

### Federal Acquisition Savings Act of 2018

This bill requires executive branch agencies to acquire equipment using the method of acquisition most advantageous to the federal government based on a case-by-case analysis of comparative costs and other factors. The methods of acquisition compared in the analysis must, at a minimum, include purchase, short-term rental or lease, long-term rental or lease, interagency acquisition, and acquisition agreements with a state or a local government. The bill includes exceptions for emergency declarations, major disaster declarations, and other emergency situations.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 26, 2018:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Johnson without amendment. With written report No. 115-383.
- **Nov 26, 2018:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 669.
- **Sep 26, 2018:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jul 19, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 19, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.