

S 3278

Protecting Taxpayers Act

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 26, 2018
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Oct 3, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3509	Related bill	Oct 11, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-268.
115 HR 2901	Related bill	Apr 18, 2018: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 831, H.R. 2901 is laid on the table.
115 HR 5438	Related bill	Apr 18, 2018: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 831, H.R. 5438 is laid on the table.
115 HR 3153	Related bill	Jun 29, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
115 S 1074	Related bill	May 9, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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This bill modifies the organizational structure, management practices, and enforcement procedures of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

The bill modifies policies regarding:

- the IRS Oversight Board,
- employee training procedures,
- tax enforcement procedures,
- various tax requirements that affect small businesses,
- the correction of errors by retirement plan administrators,
- programs that assist low-income taxpayers,
- the IRS appeals process for taxpayers, and
- information technology.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 3, 2018:** Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 115-574.
- **Jul 26, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 26, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.