

## HR 4495

### STOP Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Nov 30, 2017

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Nov 30, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/4495>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]

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

### Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brat, Dave [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Garrett, Thomas A., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Johnson, Mike [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Taylor, Scott [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Nov 30, 2017
Rep. Duffy, Sean P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Dec 4, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 30, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Settlement Tax Deductions are Over for Predators Act or the STOP Act**

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to deny a trade or business expense deduction for any amount paid or incurred on account of a judgment or settlement originating from, or to require the non-disclosure of or otherwise prevent, a claim or accusation of sexual abuse or sexual harassment (including unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, or other verbal or physical harassment of a sexual nature).

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 30, 2017:** Introduced in House
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