

HR 4617

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for a temporary moratorium on the medical device excise tax.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Dec 12, 2017

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Dec 12, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Dec 12, 2017
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Dec 12, 2017
Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Dec 13, 2017
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Dec 13, 2017
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Dec 13, 2017
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Dec 20, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 12, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 195	Related bill	Jan 22, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-120.
115 HJRES 125	Related bill	Jan 16, 2018: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

Summary (as of Dec 12, 2017)

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to extend through 2022 the moratorium on the excise tax on the sale of certain medical devices. (Under current law, the moratorium applies to sales during the period beginning on January 1, 2016, and ending on December 31, 2017.)

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2017:** Introduced in House
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