

HR 4620

Protecting Families and Small Businesses Act of 2017

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Dec 15, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]

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

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| Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9] | D · AZ | | Dec 12, 2017 |
| Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6] | R · TN | | Dec 19, 2017 |
| Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49] | R · CA | | Dec 19, 2017 |
| Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large] | R · ND | | Dec 21, 2017 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Dec 15, 2017 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Dec 12, 2017 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 115 HR 4894 | Related bill | Feb 2, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. |

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This bill amends the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to allow a health insurer to reduce its 2018 annual fee by the amount of premium rebates provided to enrollees under this bill. Premium rebates must be equal to the lesser of 2% of the net premiums for each individual or the premiums paid by an individual.

For a Medicaid managed care organization, the 2018 annual fee shall be reduced by 2% of the net premiums.

The bill suspends the annual fee for 2019.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 15, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Dec 12, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 12, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.