

HR 4756

Federal Reserve Blackout Improvement Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jan 10, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6741	Related bill	Jan 2, 2019: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 883.
115 HR 10	Related bill	Jul 13, 2017: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 115-108.

Summary (as of Jan 10, 2018)

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This bill amends the Federal Reserve Act to restrict the types of public communications that Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) members and staff may make regarding financial developments or monetary policy during a "blackout period" (i.e., a period extending from approximately one week before an FOMC meeting to approximately one day afterwards).

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 10, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 10, 2018:** Hearings Held by the Subcommittee on Monetary Policy and Trade Prior to Referral.
- **Jan 10, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.