

## SRES 51

A resolution recognizing the contributions of Federal employees and pledging to oppose efforts to reduce Federal workforce pay and benefits, eliminate civil service employment protections, undermine collective bargaining, and increase the use of non-Federal contractors for inherently governmental activities.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 6, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced)

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S750-751) (Feb 6, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-resolution/51>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** HI • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 6, 2017
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 7, 2017
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Feb 7, 2017
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 8, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 6, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Feb 6, 2017)

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Declares that the Senate will deny the passage of any legislation, and challenge any action of the executive branch, that:

- erodes fair compensation for federal employees,
- undermines the value of federal employee retirement programs,
- diminishes the ability of federal employee unions to effectively represent and protect the rights of employees,
- reduces fundamental protections for civil servants, or
- increases the use of nongovernmental contractors to perform inherently governmental functions.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 6, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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