

## HR 52

Jobs, On-the-Job 'Earn While You Learn' Training, and Apprenticeships for African-American Young Men Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Jan 3, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Jan 3, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/52>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Jan 3, 2017
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jan 3, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jan 3, 2017
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Jan 3, 2017
Rep. Love, Mia B. [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Jan 3, 2017
Del. Plaskett, Stacey E. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Jan 6, 2017
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jan 6, 2017
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jan 6, 2017
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Jan 10, 2017
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Apr 25, 2017
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		May 22, 2017
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Jul 3, 2017
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jul 3, 2017
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jul 25, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 3, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Labor and Employment

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 3, 2017)

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### **Jobs, On-the-Job "Earn While You Learn" Training, and Apprenticeships for African-American Young Men Act**

This bill requires the Department of Labor to request labor unions, general contractors, and businesses that will rebuild infrastructure, transportation systems, technology and computer networks, and energy distribution systems to actively recruit, hire, and provide on-the-job training to African American men ages 18 to 39 through existing jobs, apprenticeships, and "earn while you learn" programs. Labor must help coordinate such recruitment.

The jobs, training, and apprenticeships must be conducted in conjunction with Labor, labor unions and associations involved in infrastructure rebuilding, and the National Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee.

Labor unions, contractors, and businesses involved with such infrastructure or systems must recruit by seeking assistance from the African American community, churches, the National Urban League, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 100 Black Men of America, high school and college job placement offices, and media outlets.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.