

HR 5409

Honest Elections and Campaign, No Gain Act

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Mar 29, 2018
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Jun 14, 2018
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Sep 27, 2018
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Sep 28, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Mar 23, 2018
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 30, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill requires each authorized candidate committee or leadership political action committee (PAC) to disburse all unused funds within a specified time period beginning after an election, unless the candidate files to run for office again before the disbursement period begins. A committee or PAC disbursing unspent funds shall first pay any obligations incurred and, if funds are left over, it may disburse the funds in specified ways, such as by transferring the funds to a national or state committee of a political party.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 30, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Mar 23, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 23, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.