

HR 6616

Everyday Philanthropist Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jul 26, 2018)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Jul 26, 2018
Rep. Duffy, Sean P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Oct 2, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 26, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 26, 2018)

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This bill allows employers to offer certain employees a tax-advantaged flexible giving account as a fringe benefit. Flexible giving accounts allow employees to set aside up to \$5,000 of their annual pretax earnings to make tax-deductible charitable contributions without having to itemize tax deductions.

Actions Timeline

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