

## HR 6755

Judiciary ROOM Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Law

**Introduced:** Sep 10, 2018

**Current Status:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.

**Latest Action:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote. (Sep 13, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6755>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Holding, George [R-NC-2]	R · NC		Sep 12, 2018
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Sep 13, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 13, 2018
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Law

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6761	Related bill	Sep 10, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
115 HR 6327	Related bill	Aug 6, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet.
115 HR 3899	Related bill	Oct 13, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet.
115 S 1416	Related bill	Jun 22, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Judiciary Reforms, Organization and Operational Modernization Act of 2018 or the Judiciary ROOM Act of 2018**

This bill makes various changes to the operation and organization of federal courts.

Among other things, the bill does the following:

- adds 52 new permanent district court judgeships,
- converts 8 temporary district court judgeships into permanent judgeships,
- restructures certain judicial districts,
- requires the Judicial Conference of the United States to issue a judicial code of conduct for judges and justices of U.S. courts (including Justices of the Supreme Court), and
- requires certain proceedings to be live streamed.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 13, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 13, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 10, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.