

HR 6758

SUCCESS Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Law: 115-273 (Enacted Oct 31, 2018)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Handel, Karen C. [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Sep 10, 2018
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Sep 12, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 25, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3483	Related bill	Sep 24, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
115 S 3416	Related bill	Sep 6, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Study of Underrepresented Classes Chasing Engineering and Science Success Act of 2018 or the SUCCESS Act

(Sec. 3) This bill directs the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) to study and report to Congress on the number of patents applied for and obtained: (1) by women, minorities, and veterans; and (2) by small businesses owned by women, minorities, and veterans.

The USPTO must provide legislative recommendations to increase the number of women, minorities, and veterans who participate in entrepreneurship activities and apply for patents.

(Sec. 4) Additionally, the bill amends the Leahy-Smith America Invents Act to extend for eight years the authority of the USPTO to set and adjust patent fees.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 31, 2018:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 31, 2018:** Became Public Law No: 115-273.
- **Oct 24, 2018:** Presented to President.
- **Oct 12, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Oct 11, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S6876)
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- **Sep 26, 2018:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 115-966.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 754.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Mr. Chabot moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8815-8817)
- **Sep 25, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6758.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H8815)
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- **Sep 25, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 25, 2018:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **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 House Committee on the Judiciary.