

## HR 822

Earned Income Tax Credit Improvement and Simplification Act 2017

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Feb 2, 2017)

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Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Mar 28, 2017
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Apr 25, 2017
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		May 4, 2017
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Sep 12, 2017

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 2, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Earned Income Tax Credit Improvement and Simplification Act 2017**

This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code, with respect to the earned income tax credit, to: (1) allow the credit for an individual who has no qualifying children, has attained the age of 21 but not 25, and is not a full-time student; (2) increase the credit rate and amount for individuals with no qualifying children; (3) allow the credit for an individual whose qualifying children do not have valid Social Security numbers; (4) revise eligibility rules relating to married individuals living apart and qualifying children claimed by another family member; and (5) repeal the denial of such credit for taxpayers with excess investment income.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 2, 2017:** Introduced in House
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