

HR 1774

LEAP Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Mar 14, 2019

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Reform

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, 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. (Mar 14, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|------------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8] | D · IL | | Mar 14, 2019 |
| Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3] | D · IL | | Mar 14, 2019 |
| Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2] | R · MO | | Oct 23, 2019 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|---|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Oversight and Government Reform Committee | House | Referred To | Mar 14, 2019 |
| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred To | Mar 14, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 116 HR 4238 | Related bill | Sep 6, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. |
| 116 HR 1660 | Related bill | Mar 8, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. |

Leveraging and Energizing America's Apprenticeship Programs Act or the LEAP Act

This bill allows employers a business-related tax credit of \$1,500 for hiring an apprenticeship employee who has not attained age 25 at the close of the taxable year or \$1,000 for an apprenticeship employee who has attained age 25.

The bill allows the credit for no more than two taxable years with respect to any apprenticeship employee. An "apprenticeship employee" is an employee who is employed in an officially-recognized apprenticeable occupation pursuant to an apprentice agreement registered with the Office of Apprenticeship of the Employment and Training Administration of the Department of Labor or a state apprenticeship agency.

The Office of Management and Budget must coordinate with federal departments and independent agencies to (1) determine which government publications could be available on government websites and no longer printed, (2) devise a strategy to reduce overall government printing costs over the 10-year period beginning with FY2019, (3) establish government-wide guidelines on employee printing, and (4) issue guidelines for publicly disclosing information about the publication of government documents.

Actions Timeline

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