

## 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)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/1774>

### 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
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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