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Voluntary Protection Program Act

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Roe, David P. [R-TN-1]

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

Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2019
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Mar 28, 2019
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2019
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Apr 3, 2019
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Apr 9, 2019
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Apr 9, 2019
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Apr 9, 2019
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Apr 15, 2019
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Apr 15, 2019
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		May 10, 2019
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-15]	D · TX		May 22, 2019
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jun 4, 2019
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Jun 24, 2019
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Sep 11, 2019
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Sep 27, 2019
Rep. Gonzalez, Anthony [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Oct 4, 2019
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Nov 8, 2019
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2020
Rep. Roby, Martha [R-AL-2]	R · AL		Feb 28, 2020
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Mar 4, 2020
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Mar 4, 2020
Rep. Cunningham, Joe [D-SC-1]	D · SC		Mar 12, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 28, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 904	Identical bill	Mar 27, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Mar 28, 2019)

Voluntary Protection Program Act

This bill provides statutory authority for the voluntary protection program within the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). Under the program, management, labor, and OSHA must establish cooperative relationships at workplaces that have implemented a comprehensive safety and health management system.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 28, 2019:** Introduced in House
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