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CBO Show Your Work Act

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Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Budget. (Jan 30, 2019)

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Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 30, 2019
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 30, 2019
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Jan 30, 2019
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 12, 2019
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Jul 16, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 30, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1077	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on the Budget.

Summary (as of Jan 30, 2019)

CBO Show Your Work Act

This bill requires the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) to make available to Congress and the public each fiscal model, policy model, and data preparation routine that the CBO uses to estimate the costs and other fiscal, social, or economic effects of legislation.

For each estimate of the costs and other fiscal effects of legislation, the CBO must also disclose, in a manner sufficient to permit replication by individuals not employed by the CBO, the data, programs, models, assumptions, and other details of the computations used to prepare the estimate.

For data that may not be disclosed, the CBO must make available to Congress and the public

- a complete list of all data variables for the data;
- descriptive statistics for all data variables for the data, to the extent that the descriptive statistics do not violate the rule against disclosure;
- a reference to the statute requiring that the data not be disclosed; and
- contact information for the individual or entity who has unrestricted access to the data.

Actions Timeline

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