

HR 4751

Tax Return Preparer Accountability Act of 2019

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Oct 18, 2019

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Oct 18, 2019)

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Sponsor

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

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 18, 2019)

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This bill requires the Department of the Treasury to regulate tax return preparers who are not otherwise subject to regulation. The bill authorizes Treasury to impose a \$1,000 penalty for each federal tax return or other document prepared by a tax return preparer during a period in which such preparer (1) is not in compliance with applicable Treasury regulations, or (2) is suspended or disbarred from acting as a tax return preparer under such regulations.

Actions Timeline

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