

## S 515

### Equal Dignity for Married Taxpayers Act of 2019

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Feb 14, 2019

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Feb 14, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/515>

## Sponsor

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**Name:** Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** Senate

**Cosponsors** (46 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Jones, Doug [D-AL]	D · AL		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Manchin, Joe, III [D-WV]	D · WV		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Feb 14, 2019

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM]	D · NM		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Feb 14, 2019

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 14, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3299	Related bill	Jul 25, 2019: Received in the Senate.
116 S 1940	Related bill	Jun 20, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
116 HR 3294	Related bill	Jun 14, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
116 HR 1244	Identical bill	Feb 14, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Summary** (as of Feb 14, 2019)

## Equal Dignity for Married Taxpayers Act of 2019

This bill modifies several tax provisions that refer to married couples to make the provisions equally applicable to legally married same-sex couples.

## Actions Timeline

- **Feb 14, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.