

HR 622

Government Shutdown Prevention Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations. (Jan 16, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Jan 22, 2019
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Jan 22, 2019
Rep. Balderson, Troy [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Jan 25, 2019
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Jan 25, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 16, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 5014	Related bill	Dec 14, 2020: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 613.
116 S 2593	Related bill	Oct 15, 2019: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 242.
116 HR 1280	Related bill	Feb 14, 2019: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.
116 HR 1172	Related bill	Feb 13, 2019: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Reform, House Administration, and the Budget, 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.
116 HR 1178	Related bill	Feb 13, 2019: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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.
116 HR 1124	Related bill	Feb 8, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
116 HR 834	Related bill	Jan 29, 2019: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Reform, House Administration, and Rules, 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.
116 HR 809	Related bill	Jan 28, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
116 HR 791	Related bill	Jan 25, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
116 HR 797	Related bill	Jan 25, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
116 HR 696	Related bill	Jan 22, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
116 S 147	Related bill	Jan 16, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
116 S 104	Related bill	Jan 10, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Summary (as of Jan 16, 2019)

Government Shutdown Prevention Act

This bill provides continuing appropriations to prevent a government shutdown if any appropriations measure for a fiscal year has not been enacted before the fiscal year begins or a joint resolution making continuing appropriations is not in effect.

For an initial 60-day period, the bill provides continuing appropriations at 95% of the rate for the preceding year to continue programs, projects, and activities for which funds were provided in the preceding fiscal year. The bill reduces the continuing appropriations by 2% after the first 60-day period and by an additional 2% for each subsequent 60-day period until the applicable appropriations legislation is enacted.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 16, 2019:** Introduced in House
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