

## HR 6254

### Gig Economy Infrastructure Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

**Introduced:** Mar 12, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Education and L

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Mar 12, 2020
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Mar 12, 2020
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Mar 12, 2020
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Mar 12, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2020
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Gig Economy Infrastructure Act**

This bill temporarily preempts any state law that classifies an individual providing labor or services for remuneration (i.e., an independent contractor) as an employee for purposes of wage-rate and benefit requirements. This preemption ends three years after enactment.

The bill also broadens the existing Securities and Exchange Commission registration exemption for the issuance of securities as part of an employee-compensation package. Specifically, the bill applies this exemption to the issuance of securities as compensation for independent contractors.

The Government Accountability Office must report on the bill's effects.

## **Actions Timeline**

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