

## HR 6290

### RELIEF Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Mar 19, 2020

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Mar 19, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6290>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 19, 2020
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Mar 23, 2020
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Mar 23, 2020
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Apr 14, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 19, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Reinvestment to Ensure a Livable Income for Every Family Act of 2020 or the RELIEF Act of 2020**

This bill expresses the sense of Congress with respect to COVID-19 (i.e., the coronavirus disease 2019) and its impact on the health of Americans and the U.S. economy.

The bill allows an individual taxpayer a refundable tax credit equal to \$1,000 (\$2,000 for joint returns) beginning in 2020. The taxpayer must be 18 years of age in 2020, a resident of the United States, and not a dependent of another taxpayer. A dependent child under age 18 shall receive a \$500 credit amount. The credit is denied to certain top income earners.

The Internal Revenue Service must establish an expedited process to assist taxpayers in applying for such credit.

The Congressional Budget Office must report annually to Congress on alternative fiscal policies to improve readiness for future economic downturns caused by depressions, pandemics, and climate change catastrophes.

### **Actions Timeline**

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