

## HR 6566

Airline Travelers Equity Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Apr 21, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. (Apr 21, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6566>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Apr 21, 2020
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		May 1, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 21, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 6523	Related bill	<b>Apr 17, 2020:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.

### Summary (as of Apr 21, 2020)

#### Airline Travelers Equity Act of 2020

This bill requires an air carrier receiving federal loans or grants under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act due to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) to certify to the Department of Transportation that it will reimburse a consumer amounts paid for a flight canceled by such air carrier or the consumer during the COVID-19 emergency period.

The requirement does not apply in the case of a passenger who was reimbursed amounts paid by a third party or through travel protection insurance.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 21, 2020:** Introduced in House
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