

## HR 6695

Excluding Pandemic Unemployment Compensation from Income Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (May 1, 2020)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 1, 2020)

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### Excluding Pandemic Unemployment Compensation from Income Act

This bill excludes from gross income, for income tax purposes, additional payments of unemployment compensation made in response to the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic. It also requires the disregard of such payments in determining eligibility for federal benefit programs and federally-assisted benefit programs.

## Actions Timeline

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