

## HR 6735

### COVID-19 Fraud Prevention Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

**Introduced:** May 8, 2020

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (Sep 22, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6735>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor                     | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43] | D · CA        |      | May 8, 2020 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                                     | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|---|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Sep 22, 2020 |
| Financial Services Committee                  | House   | Referred To | May 8, 2020  |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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

#### COVID-19 Fraud Prevention Act

This bill establishes the Consumer and Investor Fraud Working Group to prevent fraud during the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic. The working group must report quarterly regarding resources available to consumers, public enforcement actions, and related consumer complaints.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 22, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Mr. Sherman moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4605-4606)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6735.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Sep 21, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4605)
- **Sep 21, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 8, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **May 8, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.