

## HR 7032

Skills Renewal Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** May 27, 2020

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (May 27, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/7032>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]

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

### Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		May 27, 2020
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		May 27, 2020
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		May 27, 2020
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Sep 1, 2020
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Sep 1, 2020
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Sep 14, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 27, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3779	Identical bill	<b>May 20, 2020:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## **Skills Renewal Act**

This bill allows eligible individuals a refundable tax credit, up to \$4,000 in a taxable year, for expenses paid for qualified training services. The bill defines

- *qualified training service* as a course or program of study that is listed in provisions of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act or that relates to computer science, technology, or another high-need area, such as a coding boot camp, that have been precertified by the Department of Labor; and
- *eligible individual* as an individual who became unemployed or furloughed in 2020 but was otherwise able to work and was available for work and has applied for or is receiving pandemic emergency unemployment compensation related to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019).

## **Actions Timeline**

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