

HR 708

Taxpayer Conscience Protection Act of 2019

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jan 25, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]

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

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| Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3] | R · MO | | Feb 6, 2019 |
| Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8] | R · NC | | Feb 11, 2019 |
| Rep. Fulcher, Russ [R-ID-1] | R · ID | | Feb 14, 2019 |
| Rep. Wright, Ron [R-TX-6] | R · TX | | Mar 12, 2019 |
| Rep. Watkins, Steve [R-KS-2] | R · KS | | Apr 12, 2019 |
| Rep. Hartzler, Vicky [R-MO-4] | R · MO | | May 9, 2019 |
| Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5] | R · CO | | May 9, 2019 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jan 25, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 22, 2019)

Taxpayer Conscience Protection Act of 2019

This bill establishes reporting requirements for states regarding certain Medicaid payments to abortion providers. Specifically, the bill requires states that make Medicaid payments using federal funds for any items or services furnished by an abortion provider to annually (1) submit a report to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services on all such payments, and (2) publish the report on the state's website. The report must include specified information, including the number of abortions performed by the providers and the gestational age with respect to each such abortion.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 25, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 22, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 22, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.