

## S 897

Family Farmer Relief Act of 2019

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

**Introduced:** Mar 27, 2019

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 27, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/897>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Jones, Doug [D-AL]	D · AL		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Mar 27, 2019
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		May 13, 2019
Sen. Hawley, Josh [R-MO]	R · MO		May 13, 2019
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		May 13, 2019
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		May 13, 2019
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		May 14, 2019
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Sep 24, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 27, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2336	Identical bill	<b>Aug 23, 2019:</b> Became Public Law No: 116-51.

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This bill increases the aggregate debt limit for a family farmer who files for bankruptcy under chapter 12 (family farmer or family fisherman reorganization).

## Actions Timeline

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