

## S 1671

### Rural Jobs Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (May 18, 2021)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		May 18, 2021
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		May 18, 2021
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		May 18, 2021
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		May 18, 2021
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		May 18, 2021
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		May 18, 2021
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		May 18, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 18, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3357	Related bill	May 19, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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This bill allocates an additional \$500 million in 2022 and 2023 for new markets tax credit investments in the Rural Jobs Zone (an area comprised of low-income communities with populations not greater than 50,000 that are not adjacent to an urbanized area). The bill also requires that at least 25% of such investments be made in areas that are persistent poverty counties, high migration rural counties, or both.

## Actions Timeline

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