

HR 3464

Zero-Baseline Budget Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: May 21, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on the Budget.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Budget. (May 21, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	May 21, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 21, 2021)

Zero-Baseline Budget Act of 2021

This bill changes the assumptions that the Congressional Budget Office uses to calculate the baseline for discretionary spending. (A baseline is a projection of federal spending and receipts during a fiscal year under current law.)

The bill changes the assumptions used for the discretionary spending baseline to

- exclude emergency and supplemental spending;
- eliminate adjustments required under current law for inflation, expiring housing contracts, social insurance administrative expenses, pay adjustments, and changes to other personnel benefits; and
- prohibit other adjustments for inflation or any other factor.

Actions Timeline

- **May 21, 2021:** Introduced in House
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