

## S 419

CONTRACT Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 24, 2021

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 651.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 651. (Dec 15, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/419>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]

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

**Cosponsors** (47 total)

<b>Cosponsor</b>	<b>Party / State</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Date Joined</b>
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Manchin, Joe, III [D-WV]	D · WV		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Feb 24, 2021

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 1, 2021
Sen. Kelly, Mark [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Mar 10, 2021
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		May 10, 2021
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		May 20, 2021
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Sep 13, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Dec 15, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1283	Identical bill	Nov 17, 2022: Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Voice Vote.

## Summary (as of Dec 15, 2022)

### Continuity for Operators with Necessary Training Required for ATC Contract Towers Act of 2021 or the CONTRACT Act of 2021

This bill exempts certain air traffic controllers from a required reduction in their retirement annuity payment on account of earnings from certain work performed while entitled to such annuity.

Under current law, retired Federal Aviation Administration air traffic controllers receive an annuity payment during the period between the mandatory retirement age of 56 and the Social Security minimum age of 62. Such annuity payment is required to be reduced by a certain percentage of any excess earnings during this period.

The bill exempts from such reduction in annuity payments an air traffic controller who participates in the Air Traffic Control Contract Program (a public-private partnership for air traffic control services) following mandatory retirement.

## Actions Timeline

- **Dec 15, 2022:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Peters without amendment. With written report No. 117-260.
- **Dec 15, 2022:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 651.
- **Nov 3, 2021:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Feb 24, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 24, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.