

## HR 5411

### GET IT DONE Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Economics and Public Finance

**Introduced:** Sep 29, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Refo

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Reform, House Administration, Rules, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Sep 29, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5411>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Oct 25, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2021
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2021
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2021
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2021
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 5325	Related bill	<b>Sep 22, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
117 HCONRES 52	Related bill	<b>Sep 21, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.
117 S 2760	Related bill	<b>Sep 20, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
117 S 105	Related bill	<b>Jan 28, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

## **Governing Effectively, with Transparency, Integrity, and Timeliness and Doing Our Necessary Expenditures Act or the GET IT DONE Act**

This bill withholds the salaries of senior government officials and restricts the use of federal funds for official travel by senior government officials if all of the regular appropriations bills for a fiscal year have not been enacted by the first day of the fiscal year.

Under the bill, *senior government officials* include

- a Member of Congress;
- the President;
- the Vice President;
- the head of any executive department; and
- any employee of, or detailee to, the Executive Office of the President whose annual rate of basic pay is at least \$158,000.

If a chamber of Congress has not approved all of the annual appropriations bills for a fiscal year by the first day of the fiscal year, the bill prohibits the chamber from adjourning for a period of more than 12 hours until it has approved the bills.

The bill also provides continuing appropriations to prevent a government shutdown if any appropriations measure for a fiscal year has not been enacted before the fiscal year begins or a joint resolution making continuing appropriations is not in effect.

For an initial 30-day period, the bill provides appropriations to continue programs, projects, and activities for which funds were provided in the preceding fiscal year. The bill reduces the continuing appropriations by 2.5% after the first 30-day period and by an additional 2.5% for each subsequent 30-day period until the applicable appropriations legislation is enacted.

### **Actions Timeline**

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