

HR 5778

Security After Sandy Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management. (Oct 29, 2021)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Nov 2, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 28, 2021
Small Business Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 28, 2021
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 29, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill cancels and waives certain debts owed to the United States.

The bill cancels repayment for all uncollected amounts owed with respect to community disaster loans made by the federal government between January 1, 2006, and January 1, 2021, with respect to any major disaster declared under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act.

The Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA), the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and the Small Business Administration shall waive a debt owed to the United States related to such assistance provided to an individual or household if (1) such debt owed is a result of an unauthorized use of funds for such assistance, and (2) the use of funds related to the same recovery for which the assistance was provided. Such debt may not be waived if it involves fraud by the debtor.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 29, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Oct 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 28, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Small Business, 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.