

HR 6617

Further Additional Extending Government Funding Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CT • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2022
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HRES 912	Procedurally related	Feb 8, 2022: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
117 HR 2430	Related bill	Oct 19, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
117 HR 2630	Related bill	Oct 19, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

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This bill provides continuing FY2022 appropriations for federal agencies and extends several expiring authorities.

Specifically, the bill provides continuing FY2022 appropriations to federal agencies through the earlier of March 11, 2022, or the enactment of the applicable appropriations act.

It is known as a continuing resolution (CR) and prevents a government shutdown that would otherwise occur if the FY2022 appropriations bills have not been enacted when the existing CR expires on February 18, 2022.

The CR funds most programs and activities at the FY2021 levels with several exceptions that provide funding flexibility or additional appropriations for various programs. For example, the CR includes provisions that address

- the President's authority to draw down defense articles and services to respond to unforeseen emergencies,
- procurement of the Columbia-class submarine,
- the Department of Defense's response to the contamination of drinking water near the Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility in Hawaii, and
- the Department of the Interior's implementation of enterprise cybersecurity safeguards.

In addition, the bill extends several expiring authorities, including

- the authority for the Department of Health and Human Services to make certain appointments for the National Disaster Medical System,
- the special assessment under the Justice for Victims of Trafficking Act of 2015 on nonindigent people or entities convicted of certain criminal offenses (e.g., sexual abuse and trafficking),
- the temporary scheduling order issued by the Drug Enforcement Administration to place fentanyl-related substances in Schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act, and
- the current Medicaid federal matching rate (also known as the Federal Medical Assistance Percentage or FMAP) for certain territories.

The bill also exempts the budgetary effects of these extensions from (1) the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2010 (PAYGO), (2) the Senate PAYGO rule, and (3) certain budget scorekeeping rules.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 18, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Feb 18, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **Feb 18, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Feb 18, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-86.
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Motion to proceed to measure considered in Senate. (CR S757)
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Cloture on the motion to proceed to the measure invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 65 - 30. Record Vote Number: 60. (CR S765)
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S775-779)
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate, under the order of 2/17/2022, having achieved 60 votes in the affirmative, without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 65 - 27. Record Vote Number: 64.
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Passed Senate, under the order of 2/17/2022, having achieved 60 votes in the affirmative, without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 65 - 27. Record Vote Number: 64.
- **Feb 15, 2022:** Motion to proceed to consideration of measure made in Senate. (CR S703)
- **Feb 15, 2022:** Cloture motion on the motion to proceed to the measure presented in Senate. (CR S703)
- **Feb 9, 2022:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 267.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Rule H. Res. 912 passed House.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 912. (consideration: CR H1051-1056)
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3076 and H.R. 6617. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for both bills. H.R. 6617 is being considered under a closed rule and H.R. 3076 is being considered under a structured rule. The resolution provides that H. Con. Res. 69 is considered adopted and provides that for purposes of the joint session to receive the President of the United States on March 1, 2022, former Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners shall not be admitted to the Hall of the House or rooms leading thereto.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 6617.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on H.R. 6617, the Chair put the question on passage and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Granger demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair announced that further proceedings on the question of passage would be postponed.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1057-1058)
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 272 - 162 (Roll no. 39).(text: CR H1052)
- **Feb 8, 2022:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 272 - 162 (Roll no. 39). (text: CR H1052)
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Feb 7, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 7, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on 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.
- **Feb 7, 2022:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 912 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3076 and H.R. 6617. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for both bills. H.R. 6617 is being considered under a closed rule and H.R. 3076 is being considered under a structured rule. The resolution provides that H. Con. Res. 69 is considered adopted and provides that for purposes of the joint session to receive the President of the United States on March 1, 2022, former Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners shall not be admitted to the Hall of the House or rooms leading thereto.