

HR 2785

REEF Act

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Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Dec 11, 2024
Rep. Frost, Maxwell [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Dec 18, 2024
Rep. McIver, LaMonica [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Dec 18, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 20, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 1274	Identical bill	May 22, 2024: Star Print ordered on report 118-168.

Summary (as of Apr 20, 2023)

Railroad Employee Equity and Fairness Act or the REEF Act

This bill permanently exempts payments made from the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Account from sequestration. Sequestration is a process of automatic, usually across-the-board spending reductions under which budgetary resources are permanently cancelled to enforce specific budget policy goals.

Currently, this exemption ends 30 days after the termination of the COVID-19 national emergency period.

Actions Timeline

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