

## S 3176

### Curtailing Executive Overcompensation (CEO) Act

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Nov 1, 2023

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Nov 1, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-bill/3176>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Nov 1, 2023
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Nov 1, 2023
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jan 17, 2024

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 1, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Nov 1, 2023)

#### Curtailing Executive Overcompensation (CEO) Act

This bill imposes an excise tax on employers (i.e., business entities) that have at least a 50 to 1 disparity between the wages (including bonuses, stock awards and options) of chief executive officers and the wages paid to their workers. The bill applies to employers that have not less than \$100 million in annual gross receipts and \$10 million in payroll over a 3 year period.

The bill limits such tax to 1% of an employer's gross receipts.

## Actions Timeline

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