

HR 5238

PLAY Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Aug 18, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Aug 25, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]

Party: Democratic • State: NJ • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Lawler, Michael [R-NY-17]	R · NY		Aug 18, 2023
Rep. Molinaro, Marcus J. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Nov 21, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 18, 2023
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 25, 2023
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 18, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Promoting Lifelong Activity for Youth Act of 2023 or the PLAY Act of 2023

This bill modifies the child and dependent care tax credit to cover expenses for youth physical activities. Such expenses include registration costs, fees, and expenses for the participation of taxpayer dependents between the ages of 4 and 18 years in fitness facilities and physical exercise or activity instruction. The bill also increases the maximum dollar amount for dependent care flexible spending arrangements.

The bill directs the Department of Health and Human Services to award grants to promote participation in recreational youth sports.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 25, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Aug 18, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 18, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and Energy and Commerce, 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.