

## HR 1771

### Improper Payments Transparency Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Economics and Public Finance

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### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 S 747	Related bill	<b>Feb 26, 2025:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## **Improper Payments Transparency Act**

This bill requires the President's annual budget to include specified information regarding improper payment amounts and rates for programs and activities at certain federal agencies. (An *improper payment* is any payment that should not have been made or that was made in an incorrect amount, including an overpayment or underpayment, under a statutory, contractual, administrative, or other legally applicable requirement.)

Specifically, the President's budget must include (1) a narrative description, including a detailed explanation of why any improper payment amounts and rates occurred and related trends for programs and activities; and (2) corrective actions and steps the agencies will take to address improper payment amount and rate issues.

## **Actions Timeline**

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