

113TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2565

To provide for the termination of employment of employees of the Internal Revenue Service who take certain official actions for political purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 27, 2013

Mr. RENACCI (for himself, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. MASSIE, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. YOUNG of Indiana, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. WENSTRUP, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. ROSKAM, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. LABRADOR, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. MARINO, and Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Stop Targeting Our  
5 Politics IRS Act” or as the “STOP IRS Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT OF INTERNAL REV-**  
2 **ENUE SERVICE EMPLOYEES FOR TAKING OF-**  
3 **FICIAL ACTIONS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES.**

4 Paragraph (10) of section 1203(b) of the Internal  
5 Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Act of 1998  
6 is amended to read as follows:

7 “(10) performing, delaying, or failing to per-  
8 form (or threatening to perform, delay, or fail to  
9 perform) any official action (including any audit)  
10 with respect to a taxpayer for purpose of extracting  
11 personal gain or benefit or for a political purpose.”.

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