

115TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4775

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 11, 2018

Mr. CONNOLLY (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. HOYER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BEYER, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. CLAY, Mr. YARMUTH, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. COMSTOCK, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. KILMER, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. SIRES) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

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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 “Federal Adjustment  
5 of Income Rates Act” or the “FAIR Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADJUSTMENT TO RATES OF PAY.**

2 (a) STATUTORY PAY SYSTEMS.—For calendar year  
3 2019, the percentage adjustment under section 5303 of  
4 title 5, United States Code, in the rates of basic pay under  
5 the statutory pay systems (as defined in section 5302 of  
6 title 5, United States Code) shall be 3 percent.

7 (b) PREVAILING RATE EMPLOYEES.—Notwith-  
8 standing the wage survey requirements under section  
9 5343(b) of title 5, United States Code, for fiscal year  
10 2019, the rates of basic pay (as in effect on the last day  
11 of fiscal year 2018 under section 5343(a) of such title)  
12 for prevailing rate employees in each wage area and the  
13 rates of basic pay under sections 5348 and 5349 of such  
14 title shall be increased by 3 percent.

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