



Action Alert #3 Contact Your Congressmen to Prevent Harm to People with Disabilities

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Around 2 a.m. Saturday the U. S. Senate passed its version of the Federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. The House and Senate must now reconcile their versions of the bill in Conference Committee starting today. It is also possible that the House will pass the Senate's version of the bill as is. It's important for you to contact your U. S. Representative and Senators tell them how this bill will negatively impact people with disabilities.

National disability groups are united in their belief that this legislation will harm people with disabilities. Read why below:

[Click here](#) to read a statement from the Director of the Institute for Community Inclusion, an internationally recognized entity focused on the rights of individuals with disabilities to be fully included in all aspects of society, and the parent of an adult son with a disability.

[Click here](#) to read the Top 5 Reasons the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act is Bad for People with Disabilities by the Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities, a coalition of approximately 100 national organizations working to ensure the self-determination, independence, empowerment, integration and inclusion of children and adults with disabilities in all aspects of society

TAKE ACTION- Contact Your U.S. Representative and Senators

[Click here to find your U.S. Representative and Senators by zip code.](#) After entering your zip code, LA's two senators (Cassidy and Kennedy) will be listed first and then **your representative will be listed third.** Your main target is your representative because the House will vote on the bill first, but you should send the same message to Senators Cassidy and Kennedy since the bill will likely go to a conference committee made up of senators and representatives. **You can email, tweet or send a Facebook message directly from this site to each of them. Phone numbers are also listed here to call and leave a message or talk to staff.**

Contact Us

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