

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 725

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the estate tax and retain stepped-up basis at death.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 2015

Mr. LATTA (for himself, Mr. JONES, Mr. MESSER, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. LONG, Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia, and Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee) 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 “Permanently Repeal  
5 the Estate Tax Act of 2015”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF ESTATE TAX AND RETENTION OF BASIS**

2 **STEP-UP.**

3 Effective for estates of decedents dying after Decem-  
4 ber 31, 2014, chapter 11 of the Internal Revenue Code  
5 of 1986 is repealed.

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