

114TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 2245

To exclude the Internal Revenue Service from the provisions of title 5,  
United States Code, relating to labor-management relations.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 5, 2015

Mr. GARDNER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred  
to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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of title 5, United States Code, relating to labor-manage-  
ment relations.

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 “Preventing Unioniza-  
5 tion of Revenue Service Employees Act” or the “PURSE  
6 Act”.

7 **SEC. 2. EXCLUSION OF INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 7103(a)(3) of title 5,  
9 United States Code, is amended—

10 (1) in subparagraph (G), by striking “or”;

1           (2) in subparagraph (H), by striking the period  
2           and inserting “; or”; and

3           (3) by adding after subparagraph (H) the fol-  
4           lowing:

5                       “(I) the Internal Revenue Service;”.

6           (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
7           this section shall take effect on the date of the enactment  
8           of this Act, notwithstanding any provision of law, rule, or  
9           regulation, or of any preexisting collective bargaining  
10          agreement.

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