

## New Litigation Funding Bill, New Result?

Congress is once again attempting to regulate the \$5 billion dollar litigation funding industry. The latest bill is aimed at “any commercial enterprise” involved in the funding of litigation. Recently introduced in the Senate, the bill has a good chance of passing both chambers.

**Read the new bill and get expert analysis of its provisions below:**

**Litigation Funding Transparency Act of 2018, 115 S. 2815**

**EXPERT ANALYSIS: Litigation Funding Transparency Act of 2018**

**PRACTICAL GUIDANCE: Class Action Fundamentals (Lexis Practice Advisor)**



### A Clear Disclosure Mandate

Sean Fahey, a product liability and MDL defense specialist at Pepper Hamilton LLP, said the new bill's “simplicity” would provide a clear disclosure mandate that various federal rule tweaks also being debated in the courts and the class action bar would not. It would also discourage a minority of “unscrupulous” parties from using investor money to press weak cases before “selling off” a claim. [\*3 Things To Know About Congress’ New Litigation Funding Bill, Law360, May 18, 2018.\*](#)