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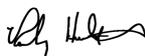
I'm proud to report that in Washington this week, the House passed with bipartisan support legislation repealing ObamaCare's Independent Payment Advisory Board. As you may know, IPAB is a panel of unelected and unaccountable bureaucrats with the power to effectively ration Medicare for seniors. I've heard from countless medical professionals across my district who are deeply concerned by IPAB, and by its potential ability to prevent them from treating their patients. IPAB threatened to end Medicare as we know it and I was proud to join members from both parties in voting to repeal it.

Also this week, the Senate had its most productive day in recent memory, voting to pass two important pieces of legislation. They overwhelmingly passed our strong version of the Stop Trading On Congressional Knowledge, or STOCK, Act, a commonsense bill that strengthens the existing prohibition on insider trading by members of Congress and staffers. The Senate also amended and passed the Jumpstart Our Business Startups, or JOBS, Act, another commonsense bill I was proud to support recently. The JOBS Act would make it easier for small businesses to gain access to the capital they need to open their doors and grow, and I hope we'll send it to the President's desk soon.

If you haven't already, be sure to like my [Facebook page](#), follow me on [Twitter](#), or check out my [YouTube page](#) to stay informed on everything I'm doing on your behalf in Washington and in Illinois.

As always, it is truly an honor to serve you in Washington. Please contact me at [630.232.7104](tel:630.232.7104) or [202.225.2976](tel:202.225.2976) if I can be of assistance, or if you'd like to share your thoughts on the issues before Congress.

In service,



Randy Hultgren

Member of Congress

Video Of The Week: Hultgren Calls For Repeal Of IPAB

This week, I spoke on the House floor in support of legislation repealing the Independent Payment Advisory Board. Click [here](#) or on the image above to watch the video.

From The Press Room:**Hultgren Statement On House Budget Proposal**

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Rep. Randy Hultgren (IL-14) issued the following statement regarding the House budget proposal released today by Budget Committee Chairman Paul Ryan.

"America stands on the precipice of a debt-fueled crisis, with future generations facing the grim prospect of a Greece-like fiscal calamity," said Hultgren. "I commend Chairman Ryan's hard work on a budget proposal that provides a blueprint for putting our country back on the right track through cutting spending, shrinking the size of government, getting Americans back to work, and reforming our tax code. It does this with a firm commitment to

our future while protecting our seniors, veterans, and those struggling to make ends meet. I look forward to seeing this proposal come to the House floor for a vote, and I hope the Senate will follow our lead and pass a budget of its own for the first time in more than 1,000 days.”

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