



June 6, 2022

Dear Representative:

This week, the House of Representatives is expected to vote on suspension on the Improving Access to Workers' Compensation for Injured Federal Workers Act of 2022 (**HR 6087**). The National Treasury Employees Union (NTEU) strongly supports this legislation and urges you to vote **YES**.

This bill would improve access to benefits under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act (FECA), which serves as the workers' compensation program for federal employees. It does so by allowing workers to have their medical care provided by a Nurse Practitioner (NP) or Physician Assistant (PA), as well as have NPs and PAs provide certification of injury. This bipartisan bill was introduced by Rep. Joseph Courtney (CT) and Rep. Timothy Walberg (MI) and passed out of the Education & Labor Committee on a bipartisan basis.

Thank you for your consideration of our views. Please feel free to contact Kurt Vorndran of the NTEU Department of Legislation at 202.572.5560 or kurt.vorndran@nteu.org if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Anthony M. Reardon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Anthony M. Reardon
National President