

115TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 4856

To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Shirley Chisholm for placement in the United States Capitol.

---

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 19, 2018

Ms. CLARKE of New York (for herself, Ms. ADAMS, Ms. BARRAGÁN, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. BEYER, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. EVANS, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. JEFFRIES, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCEACHIN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. MENG, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. HANABUSA, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. CLAY, Mr. VEASEY, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. CRIST, and Mr. CARSON of Indiana) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

---

## A BILL

To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Shirley Chisholm for placement in the United States Capitol.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PLACEMENT OF STATUE OF SHIRLEY CHIS-**  
2 **HOLM IN UNITED STATES CAPITOL.**

3 (a) **OBTAINING STATUE.**—Not later than 5 years  
4 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Joint Com-  
5 mittee on the Library shall enter into an agreement to  
6 obtain a statue of Shirley Chisholm, under such terms and  
7 conditions as the Joint Committee considers appropriate  
8 consistent with applicable law. The Joint Committee may  
9 authorize the Architect of the Capitol to enter into the  
10 agreement and related contracts required under this sub-  
11 section on its behalf, under such terms and conditions as  
12 the Joint Committee may require.

13 (b) **PLACEMENT.**—The Joint Committee on the Li-  
14 brary shall place the statue obtained under subsection (a)  
15 in a suitable permanent location in the United States Cap-  
16 itol.

17 (c) **AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**—There  
18 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be  
19 necessary to carry out this Act, and any amounts so ap-  
20 propriated shall remain available until expended.

○