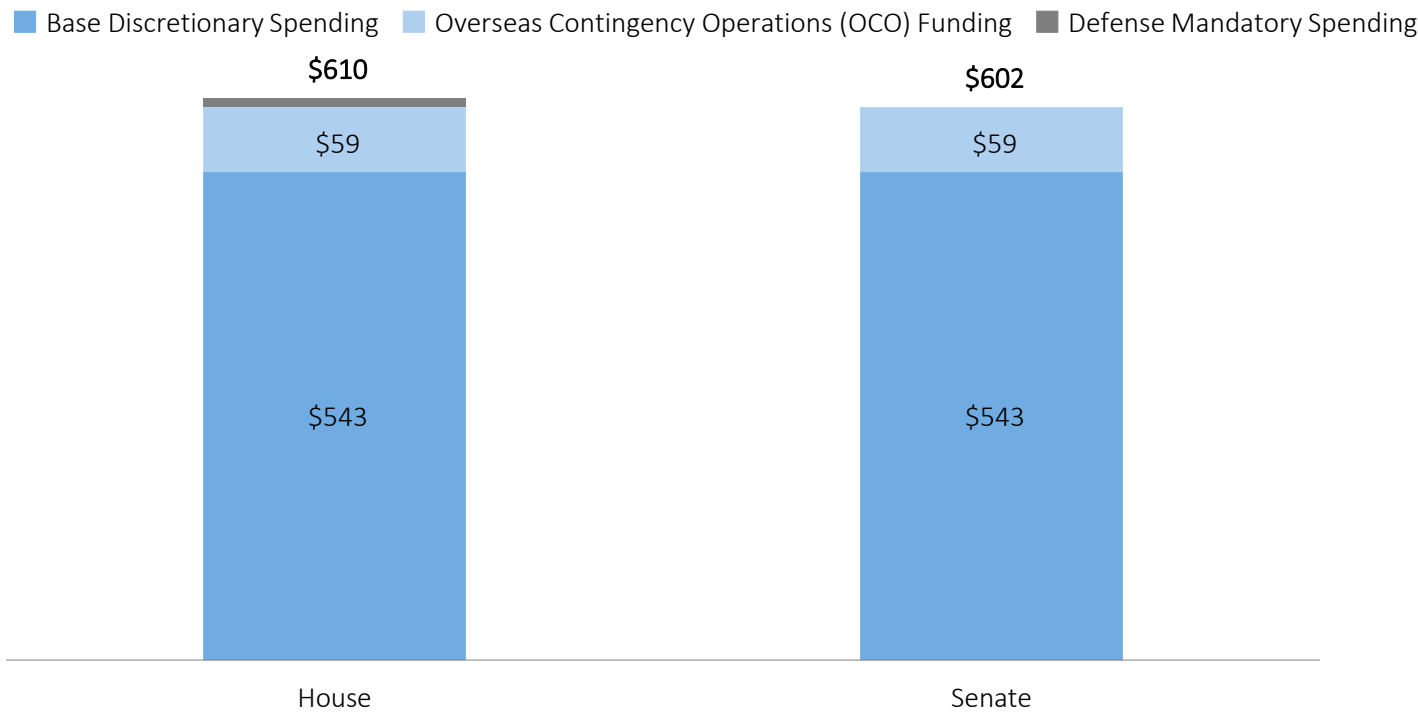


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## Amount of Authorized Funds in Both Versions of the NDAA FY 2017

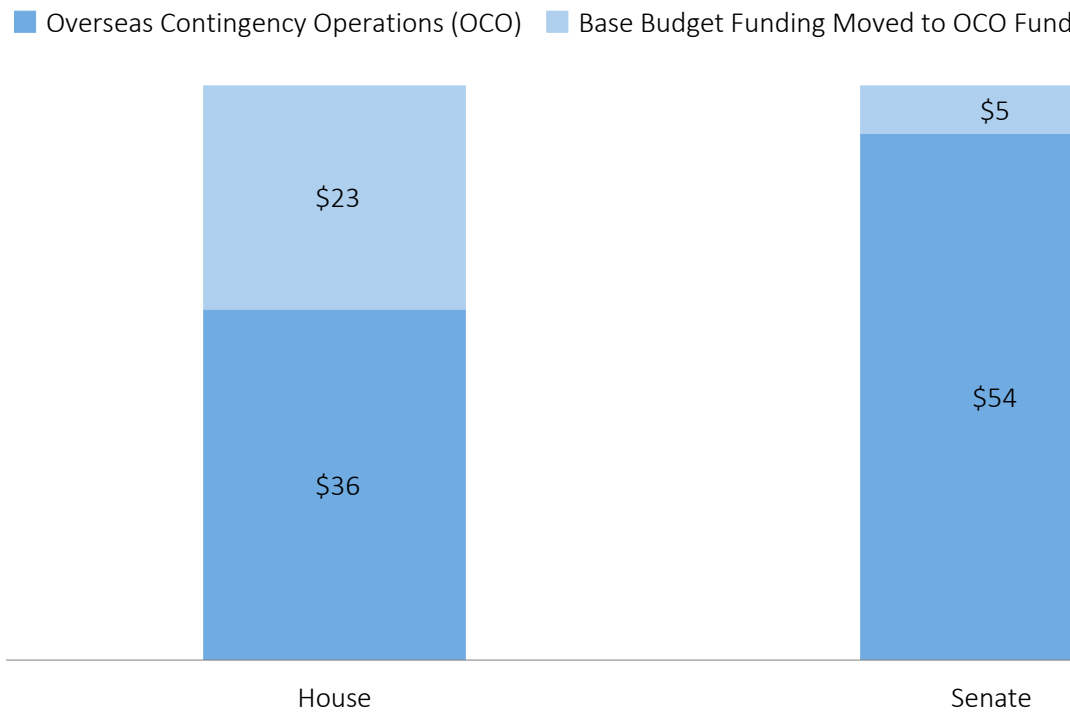
*Includes Base, Overseas Contingency Operations Funding, and Defense Mandatory Spending*



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# There Are Differences in How OCO Funding is Used With House Version Using More For Base Funding

## Amount of Authorized OCO Funds and Their Use




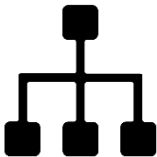


**Why Does OCO Have Base Budget Funding?**

OCO funding is normally primarily for combat operations or overseas deployments. However, OCO funding is not subject to budgetary caps like the base budget. Since sequestration, Congress has increasingly shifted base funding into OCO to circumvent defense budget caps. Currently, the **House’s OCO funding provides funding for overseas operations only through April 2017** instead of the full fiscal year, which has caused pushback from the DOD who say this hinders sustaining combat operations like the anti-ISIL campaign

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# Both Defense Bills Have Major Reforms That Would Change Procurement, Command, Healthcare and Draft

## Major Areas of Reform in House and Senate NDAA's

	Reform Category	Main Provisions in Both Bills
	Acquisitions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Streamlines purchasing processes and command</li><li>• Encourage small businesses to compete for defense contracts</li><li>• Move away from cost contracts to fixed-price contracts</li></ul>
	Goldwater-Nichols Update (Command Structure Reform)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reduce four star ranks and better define the roles of the Combatant Commands</li><li>• Streamline and encourage greater integration in the Office of the Secretary of Defense</li><li>• Eliminate the Quadrennial Defense Review and replace it with more streamlined national strategy development process</li><li>• <b>Cap the amount of National Security Council staff</b></li></ul>
	Healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reform the quality metrics used to measure effectiveness of healthcare delivery</li><li>• <b>Reform TRICARE healthcare plans</b> to expand care and access</li><li>• Strengthen medical military readiness</li></ul>
	Selective Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Require women to register</b> with the Selective Service</li><li>• Review the purpose of the Selective Service from emergency mass-mobilization to potentially skills-acquisition focus</li></ul>

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