

HR 1207

To remove the Medicare Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund from the budget of the United States Government and to remove Social Security and Medicare from budget pronouncements.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: Mar 26, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Apr 4, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** MD • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 26, 2001
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 4, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 26, 2001)

Prohibits receipts and disbursements of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund from being counted as new budget authority, outlays, receipts, deficit, or surplus for purposes of the national budget, the congressional budget, or the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act).

Requires official statements issued by the Office of Management and Budget, the Congressional Budget Office, or any Federal agency of Federal surplus or deficit totals to exclude the outlays and receipts of the Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance Program and the Hospital Insurance Program (Medicare).

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 4, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
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