

HCONRES 316

Expressing the sense of the Congress that government policy should seek to reduce the financial penalties against marriage within the welfare system, and should support married couples in forming and sustaining healthy, loving, and productive marriages.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]

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

Cosponsors (23 total)

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Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 7, 2002
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Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Feb 7, 2002
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Rep. Myrick, Sue Wilkins [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Feb 14, 2002
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Feb 26, 2002
Rep. Sullivan, John [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Apr 9, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 6, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 6, 2002)

Expresses the sense of Congress that healthy marriages are highly important to the well-being of children, adults, and society in general, and that government policy should seek to reduce the financial penalties against marriage within the welfare system, and should support couples who choose to marry and assist them in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to form and sustain healthy, loving, and productive marriages.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 27, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H566)
- **Feb 6, 2002:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 6, 2002:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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