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HR 661

Life Insurance Tax Simplification Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House
Policy Area: Taxation
Introduced: Feb 14, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Feb 14, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Houghton, Amo [R-NY-31]

Party: Republican • State: NY • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (35 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Becerra, Xavier [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD-3]	$D\cdotMD$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Coyne, William J. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Crane, Philip M. [R-IL-8]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-21]	$R \cdot PA$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Foley, Mark [R-FL-16]	$R \cdot FL$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Herger, Wally [R-CA-2]	$R \cdot CA$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Johnson, Nancy L. [R-CT-6]	$R \cdot CT$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	$R \cdot TX$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Kleczka, Gerald D. [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Matsui, Robert T. [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Ramstad, Jim [R-MN-3]	$R \cdot MN$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Ryan, Paul [R-WI-1]	$R \cdot WI$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Shaw, E. Clay, Jr. [R-FL-22]	$R \cdot FL$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Tanner, John S. [D-TN-8]	$D \cdot TN$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Watkins, Wes [R-OK-3]	$R \cdot OK$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Weller, Jerry [R-IL-11]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 14, 2001
Rep. Hayworth, J. D. [R-AZ-6]	$R \cdot AZ$		Feb 28, 2001
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-12]	$D \cdot MI$		Feb 28, 2001
Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	$R \cdot TX$		Mar 8, 2001
Rep. McInnis, Scott [R-CO-3]	$R \cdot CO$		Mar 8, 2001
Rep. Dunn, Jennifer [R-WA-8]	$R \cdot WA$		Mar 20, 2001
Rep. Thurman, Karen L. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Apr 4, 2001
Rep. Ganske, Greg [R-IA-4]	$R \cdot IA$		Apr 24, 2001
Rep. Pomeroy, Earl [D-ND-At Large]	$D \cdot ND$		Apr 24, 2001
Rep. Portman, Rob [R-OH-2]	$R \cdot OH$		Apr 24, 2001
Rep. DeMint, Jim [R-SC-4]	$R \cdot SC$		Jul 20, 2001
Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20]	$D \cdot TX$		Jul 20, 2001
Rep. Blunt, Roy [R-MO-7]	$R \cdot MO$		Jul 26, 2001
Rep. Reynolds, Thomas M. [R-NY-27]	$R \cdot NY$		Jul 26, 2001
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Dec 5, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 14, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2001)

Life Insurance Tax Simplification Act of 2001 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to repeal provisions: (1) providing for the reduction in certain deductions of mutual life insurance companies; and (2) relating to distributions to shareholders from pre-1984 policyholders surplus accounts.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 14, 2001: Introduced in House
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