

HR 2426

Domestic Partnership Benefits and Obligations Act of 2003

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Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Sep 9, 2003
Rep. McCarthy, Karen [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Sep 16, 2003

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 2, 2003
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 11, 2003)

Domestic Partnership Benefits and Obligations Act of 2003 - Entitles domestic partners of Federal employees to benefits available to spouses of Federal employees. Specifies certifications required for benefit eligibility, filing requirements regarding partnership dissolution, and confidentiality requirements. Amends the Internal Revenue Code to extend the tax exemption for employer contributions to accident and health plans to domestic partners under this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 2, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Civil Service and Agency Organization.
- **Jun 11, 2003:** Introduced in House
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