

## HR 262

Child Support Enforcement Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources. (Jan 27, 2003)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 27, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 127	Identical bill	<b>Jan 9, 2003:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

### Summary (as of Jan 8, 2003)

Child Support Enforcement Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code (relating to the deduction for bad debts) to allow a custodial parent to claim unpaid child support payments as a deduction.

Bars a delinquent debtor from filing an amended return in any subsequent year to reflect the subsequent payment of unpaid child support.

Includes unpaid child support in the gross income of the delinquent debtor.

Prohibits any discrepancy between the tax returns of a custodial parent and a delinquent debtor concerning whether a child support payment has been made from serving as a basis for selecting an individual's tax return for general audit.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 27, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources.
- **Jan 8, 2003:** Introduced in House
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