

HR 2718

Child Tax Fairness Act of 2003

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Jul 21, 2003
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jul 21, 2003
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		Jul 24, 2003
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Apr 20, 2004
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 14, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 14, 2003)

Child Tax Fairness Act of 2003 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) provide a uniform definition of the term "child"; (2) repeal the head of household filing status and establish an exemption of \$3,700 for single taxpayers with either a qualifying child, relative, or parent in the household; and (3) exempt means-tested government benefits when determining whether or not over half the cost of a dependent's care is provided by a taxpayer.

Actions Timeline

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