

HR 470

To amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the 7-year restriction on eligibility for widow's and widower's insurance benefits based on disability.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. (Feb 6, 2003)

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| Ways and Means Committee | House | Referred to | Feb 6, 2003 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 29, 2003)

Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to repeal the seven-year restriction on eligibility for widow's and widower's insurance benefits based on disability.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 6, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Jan 29, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 29, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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