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HR 4902

Medicare Rural Home Health Services Improvement Act of 2004

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Health Introduced: Jul 22, 2004

Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2107)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2107) (Nov 20, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]

Party: Republican • State: OR • Chamber: House

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Rep. Alexander, Rodney [D-LA-5]	D·LA	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Bass, Charles F. [R-NH-2]	R · NH	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D·VA	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Burr, Richard [R-NC-5]	$R \cdot NC$	Jul 22, 2004
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Rep. McHugh, John M. [R-NY-23]	$R \cdot NY$	Jul 22, 2004
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Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R·FL	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Nethercutt, George R., Jr. [R-WA-5]	$R \cdot WA$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Ney, Robert W. [R-OH-18]	$R \cdot OH$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Peterson, John E. [R-PA-5]	$R \cdot PA$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Pomeroy, Earl [D-ND-At Large]	$D \cdot ND$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Renzi, Rick [R-AZ-1]	$R \cdot AZ$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4]	D · AR	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Ryun, Jim [R-KS-2]	$R \cdot KS$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Sandlin, Max [D-TX-1]	$D \cdot TX$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Shuster, Bill [R-PA-9]	R · PA	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	$D \cdot TX$	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3]	D · NM	Jul 22, 2004
Rep. Goode, Virgil H., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R·VA	Sep 13, 2004
Rep. John, Christopher [D-LA-7]	D · LA	Sep 13, 2004
Rep. Marshall, Jim [D-GA-3]	D · GA	Sep 13, 2004
Rep. Hall, Ralph M. [R-TX-4]	R·TX	Sep 17, 2004
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D·NY	Sep 17, 2004
Rep. Bradley, Jeb [R-NH-1]	R·NH	Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Carson, Brad [D-OK-2]	D · OK	Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6]	D·KY	Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D·NY	Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN	Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Herseth, Stephanie [D-SD-At Large]	D·SD	Oct 7, 2004
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ	Nov 17, 2004
Rep. Allen, Thomas H. [D-ME-1]	D · ME	Nov 19, 2004

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Wilson, Heather [R-NM-1]	$R \cdot NM$		Nov 19, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 22, 2004
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 28, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 22, 2004)

Medicare Rural Home Health Services Improvement Act of 2004 - Amends the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 to provide for a two-year extension of the temporary Medicare payment increase for home health services furnished in a rural area.

Actions Timeline

- Nov 20, 2004: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2107)
- Jul 28, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Jul 22, 2004: Introduced in House
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