

## S 162

A bill to amend chapter 99 of the Internal Revenue code of 1986 to clarify that certain coal industry health benefits may not be modified or terminated.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Jan 25, 2005

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S491)

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S491) (Jan 25, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/162>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 25, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 299	Related bill	<b>Jan 25, 2005:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

### Summary (as of Jan 25, 2005)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to prohibit any court in a bankruptcy proceeding from terminating or modifying certain coal industry employee health benefits.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 25, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S491)
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S491)