

HR 1929

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to update the optional methods for computing net earnings from self-employment.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Taxation Introduced: Apr 27, 2005

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Apr 27, 2005)

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

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| 109 S 896 | Related bill | Apr 25, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4190) |

Summary (as of Apr 27, 2005)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code and title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) of the Social Security Act to revise the optional method of computing the net earnings of self-employed individuals for purposes of determining social security benefit eligibility. Replaces the numerical formula for determining benefit eligibility with an indexed calculation based on a lower limit (the amount required under the Social Security Act for a quarter of coverage) and an upper limit (150 percent of the lower limit).

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