

HR 3055

MediKids Health Insurance Act of 2005

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 1, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 23, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 1303	Identical bill	Jul 27, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8379)

MediKids Health Insurance Act of 2005 - Amends the Social Security Act to add a new title XXII (Medikids Program) to provide for health insurance coverage for all children born after December 31, 2006, in a program modeled after Medicare that also includes prescription drugs and reduced cost-sharing for low-income children.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services, during September of each year, to establish a monthly Medikids premium for the following year.

Establishes in the Treasury the Medikids Trust Fund to contain the Medikids premiums collected under the Internal Revenue Code.

Amends title XVIII to increase Medicare Payment Advisory Commission (MEDPAC) membership to 19.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to impose a Medikids premium for the taxable year on a taxpayer with a dependent enrolled in the MediKids program, with exceptions for very low-income taxpayers.

Provides that in the case of a taxpayer who has a MediKid at any time during the taxable year, there shall be allowed as a refundable credit against income taxes an amount equal to the excess of: (1) the amount paid by the taxpayer during the taxable year as cost-sharing; over (2) 5% of the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for the taxable year.

Directs the Secretary of the Treasury to propose a gradual schedule of progressive tax changes to fund the MediKids program as the number of enrollees grows in the out-years.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 1, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
- **Jun 24, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1339-1340)
- **Jun 23, 2005:** Introduced in House
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