

HR 4938

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to extend the 2006 open enrollment period for Medicare prescription drug plans and to eliminate any late enrollment penalty for enrollments in such plans at any time during 2006.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 17, 2006)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 17, 2006
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 9, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 5173	Related bill	Apr 25, 2006: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
109 HR 4715	Related bill	Feb 17, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Mar 9, 2006)

Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to: (1) extend through November 14 the 2006 open enrollment period for Medicare prescription drug plans; and (2) eliminate any late enrollment penalty for enrollments in such plans at any time during 2006.

Actions Timeline

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