

## HR 1953

Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers Act

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**Chamber:** House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 9, 2007
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 25, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2032	Related bill	<b>Jul 9, 2007:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities.

Summary (as of Apr 19, 2007)

Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers Act - Directs the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor to prepare and publish a monthly Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers (CPI) that indicates changes over time in expenditures for consumption which are typical for individuals aged 62 years of age or older.

Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) to provide for the use of such new CPI in the computation of cost-of-living increases for Social Security and Medicare benefits under such programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 9, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities.
- **Apr 25, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Apr 19, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 19, 2007:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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.