

HR 50

Social Security Identity Theft Prevention Act

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

Introduced: Jan 6, 2009

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jan 6, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL-10]

Party: Republican • **State:** IL • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 6, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 6, 2009)

Social Security Identity Theft Prevention Act - Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to require Social Security cards to be made of tamperproof and wear-resistant material (currently, of banknote paper), and include a digital image of the cardholder as well as an encrypted, machine-readable electronic record containing biometric identifiers.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 6, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 6, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1)
- **Jan 6, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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