

SCONRES 15

A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Chained Consumer Price Index should not be used to calculate cost-of-living adjustments for Social Security or veterans benefits, or to increase the tax burden on low- and middle-income taxpayers.

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (22 total)

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Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Apr 25, 2013
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Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		May 9, 2013
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Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Jun 17, 2013
Sen. Heitkamp, Heidi [D-ND]	D · ND		Jul 17, 2013

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 24, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HCONRES 34	Related bill	Apr 18, 2013: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Apr 24, 2013)

Expresses the sense of Congress that the Chained Consumer Price Index should not be used to: (1) calculate cost of living adjustments for Social Security benefits or benefits for disabled veterans and their survivors, or (2) increase the tax burden on low- and middle-income taxpayers.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 24, 2013:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 24, 2013:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2967-2969)
- **Apr 24, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2967)

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