

## HR 4401

### Social Security Temporary Emergency Payee Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Apr 4, 2014

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Apr 4, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/4401>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]

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

## 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	Apr 4, 2014

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Apr 4, 2014)

Social Security Temporary Emergency Payee Act - Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to require the Commissioner of Social Security, if the Commissioner or a court of competent jurisdiction determines that the representative payee for an individual has died, has misused any individual's benefit, or has otherwise become unable or unwilling to continue as a representative payee, to: (1) revoke immediately certification for payment of the individual's benefits to such representative payee; (2) certify payment of such benefits, on a permanent or temporary basis, to a qualified organization to serve as a substitute representative payee; or (3) certify payments of such benefits to the individual directly if it would serve the individual's interests.

Prohibits the deferral of benefits payments directly to an individual during the selection of a substitute representative payee in any case in which a representative payee has previously been designated for the individual.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 4, 2014:** Introduced in House
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