

HR 649

Protecting and Preserving Social Security Act

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Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Hahn, Janice [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Nov 12, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 23, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 19, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 2382	Related bill	May 22, 2014: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
113 S 567	Related bill	Mar 14, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
113 S 308	Identical bill	Feb 13, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Feb 13, 2013)

Protecting and Preserving Social Security Act - Directs the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) of the Department of Labor to prepare and publish for each calendar month a Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers (CPI-EC) that indicates changes over time in consumption expenditures typical for individuals in the United States age 62 or older.

Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to make the CPI-EC the applicable Consumer Price Index (CPI) for computation of cost-of-living increases in OASDI benefits for such individuals.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to prescribe special rules for the determination of wages and self-employment income above the contribution and benefit base after 2013.

Amends SSA title II to include surplus average indexed monthly earnings (AIME) in the determination of primary OASDI amounts.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 23, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Feb 19, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Feb 13, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 13, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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.