

## HR 1811

### Protecting and Preserving Social Security Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions. (Nov 16, 2015)

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Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Apr 15, 2015
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Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		May 26, 2015
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Mar 2, 2016
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 14, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 16, 2015
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 24, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5952	Related bill	<b>Sep 12, 2016:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
114 S 1940	Related bill	<b>Aug 5, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 960	Identical bill	<b>Apr 15, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Summary (as of Apr 15, 2015)

### Protecting and Preserving Social Security Act

Directs the Bureau of Labor Statistics 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 (SSAct) to make the CPI-EC the applicable Consumer Price Index 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 2015.

Amends SSAct title II to include surplus average indexed monthly earnings in the determination of primary OASDI amounts.

### Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Apr 24, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Apr 15, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 15, 2015:** 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.