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Social Security Disability Insurance and Unemployment Benefits Double Dip Elimination Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 6, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5919	Related bill	Jul 22, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
114 S 499	Identical bill	Feb 12, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Aug 6, 2015)

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This bill amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) of the Social Security Act to declare that for any week in whole or in part within a month that an individual is paid or determined to be eligible for unemployment compensation he or she shall be deemed to have engaged in substantial gainful activity and so be disqualified from receiving Social Security disability benefits after a certain period has elapsed.

States that, for purposes of determining services rendered by an individual during a period of trial work which will not disqualify the individual for disability benefits, the individual shall be deemed to have rendered services in a month if he or she is entitled to unemployment compensation or trade adjustment assistance for that month.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 6, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
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