

## HR 2780

To amend title II of the Social Security Act to eliminate the two-year waiting period for divorced spouse's benefits following the divorce.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Jun 15, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. (Jun 22, 2015)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 22, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jun 15, 2015)

Amends title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act to eliminate the two-year waiting period following a divorce for a divorced spouse to become entitled to a spouse's OASDI benefits.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jun 22, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Jun 15, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 15, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.