

## HR 5342

### Fair COLA for Seniors Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

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## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]

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

## Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2016
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2016
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 2, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 6489	Related bill	Dec 8, 2016: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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This bill directs the Social Security Administration to make a one-time cost-of-living increase of 3.9%, effective with the month of June 2016, to benefits under title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) (OASDI) of the Social Security Act.

Such increase shall not be considered a general annual benefit cost-of-living increase in calendar years 2016-2017.

"Consumer Price Index" shall mean Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers (CPI-E).

The Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor shall prepare and publish the CPI-E authorized by the Older Americans Amendments Act of 1987 for each calendar month beginning with July of the calendar year following the calendar year in which this bill is enacted.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 19, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- **Sep 19, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Jun 2, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **May 26, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **May 26, 2016:** 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.