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Seniors' Tax Simplification Act of 2017

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 17, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 17, 2017
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Jan 17, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 17, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 1	Related bill	Nov 28, 2017: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 269.
115 HR 2721	Identical bill	May 25, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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This bill directs the Internal Revenue Service to make available to taxpayers who have turned age 65 at the close of the taxable year a new federal income tax Form 1040SR (similar to the existing Form 1040EZ). Such taxpayers can use this new form even if their income includes: (1) Social Security benefits; (2) distributions from qualified retirement plans, annuities, or other such deferred payment arrangements; (3) interest and dividends; or (4) capital gains and losses.

The form must be available without regard to the amount of any item of taxable income or the total amount of taxable income for the taxable year.

Actions Timeline

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