

S 1649

Protection of Social Security Benefits Restoration Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: May 23, 2019

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3110-3111; text: CR S3110-3111) (May 23, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]

Party: Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		May 23, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		May 23, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 23, 2019
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		May 23, 2019
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 23, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		May 23, 2019
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		May 23, 2019
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		May 23, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		May 23, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 23, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2991	Identical bill	May 23, 2019: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

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This bill prohibits the application of, and repeals authority for, administrative offsets to Social Security, railroad retirement, and black lung benefits. (An administrative offset is the withholding of funds payable by or held by the United States to satisfy a debt.)

Actions Timeline

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