

## HR 8600

### COVID-19 Emergency Social Security Cost of Living Increase Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Oct 16, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. (Oct 16, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8600>

#### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** House

#### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Oct 16, 2020

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 16, 2020
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 16, 2020

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

##### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

#### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

#### Summary (as of Oct 16, 2020)

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This bill changes the methods used to determine annual increases to Social Security benefits and provides an emergency cost-of-living increase of at least 3% to beneficiaries beginning in November 2020.

## **Actions Timeline**

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