

## HR 6169

### Fair Social Security for Domestic Violence Survivors Act

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Nov 1, 2023

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. (Dec 17, 2024)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/6169>

### Sponsor

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

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| Cosponsor                      | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14] | R · OH        |      | Nov 1, 2023 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Ways and Means Committee | House   | Referred to | Dec 17, 2024 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship | Last Action   |
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| 118 HR 6034 | Related bill | <b>Dec 17, 2024:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. |

### Summary (as of Nov 1, 2023)

#### Fair Social Security for Domestic Violence Survivors Act

This bill decreases for certain victims of domestic violence the number of years an individual must be married before a divorce to be eligible for spousal Social Security benefits based on the divorced spouse's work record.

### Actions Timeline

- **Dec 17, 2024:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security.
- **Nov 1, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 1, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.