

HR 7830

PAW Act of 2024

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Mar 26, 2024

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Mar 26, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hageman, Harriet M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Apr 17, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 26, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 26, 2024)

Protect American Widows Act of 2024 or the PAW Act of 2024

This bill redefines *surviving spouse* for purposes of the applicable filing status of such individuals. It expands from two to five years amount of time a spouse must survive a deceased spouse in order to qualify for joint filing status as a married taxpayer.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 26, 2024:** Introduced in House
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