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Social Security Fairness Act of 2023

Cross References

• H.R. 82

Signed into law on January 5, 2025, the Social Security Fairness Act of 2023 contains the following provisions:

- · Repeals provisions that reduce Social Security benefits for individuals who receive other benefits, such as a pension from a state or local government.
- Eliminates the government pension offset, which in various instances reduces Social Security benefits for spouses, widows, and widowers who also receive government pensions of their own.
- Eliminates the windfall elimination provision, which in some instances reduces Social Security benefits for individuals who also receive a pension or disability benefit from an employer that did not withhold Social Security taxes.

These changes are effective for benefits payable after December 2023.