

119TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 9709

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to adjust the applicability of the income related monthly adjustment amount to premiums under part B of Medicare.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 15, 2026

Mr. KEAN (for himself and Mrs. KIM) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Medicare Premiums
5 Reduction Act of 2026”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADJUSTING THE APPLICABILITY OF THE INCOME**
 2 **RELATED MONTHLY ADJUSTMENT AMOUNT**
 3 **TO PREMIUMS UNDER PART B OF MEDICARE.**

4 Section 1839(i) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
 5 1395r(i)) is amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (2)(A)—

7 (A) by striking “beginning with 2018” and
 8 inserting “for 2018 through 2026”; and

9 (B) by inserting “, or, beginning with
 10 2027, \$171,000” after “\$85,000”; and

11 (2) in paragraph (3)(C)—

12 (A) in clause (i)—

13 (i) in subclause (III), by striking
 14 “years beginning with 2019” and inserting
 15 “2019 through 2026”; and

16 (ii) by adding at the end the following
 17 new subclause:

18 “(IV) Subject to paragraph (5),
 19 for years beginning with 2027:

“If the modified adjusted gross income is:	The applicable percentage is:
More than \$171,000 but not more than \$205,000	65 percent
More than \$205,000 but less than \$500,000	80 percent
At least \$500,000	85 percent.”;

20 and

21 (B) in clause (ii)—

22 (i) by striking “the table under sub-
 23 clause (III) of such clause” and inserting

- 1 “the tables under subclauses (III) and (IV)
- 2 of such clause”; and
- 3 (ii) by inserting “each” after “the sec-
- 4 ond to last row of”.

