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# H. R. 1418

To exclude certain veterans' compensation and pension amounts from consideration as adjusted income for purposes of determining the amount of rent paid by a family for a dwelling unit assisted under the United States Housing Act of 1937.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 25, 2003

Mr. ANDREWS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Financial Services

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## 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 “Veterans’ Housing Eq-  
5       uity Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXCLUSION FROM INCOME.**

2       Notwithstanding section 3 of the United States  
3 Housing Act of 1937, for purposes of determining the  
4 amount of rent paid by a family for occupancy of a public  
5 housing dwelling unit or a dwelling unit assisted under  
6 section 8 of such Act, the adjusted income of a family shall  
7 not be considered to include any amounts received by any  
8 member of the family from the Secretary of Veterans Af-  
9 fairs as—

10           (1) compensation, as defined in section 101(13)  
11       of title 38, United States Code;

12           (2) dependency and indemnity compensation, as  
13       defined in section 101(14) of such title; or

14           (3) pension, as defined in section 101(15) of  
15       such title.

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