

109TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 2926

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 15, 2005

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. DEFazio) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

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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 “Pension Benefit Guar-

5 anty Corporation Pilots Equitable Treatment Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. AGE REQUIREMENT FOR EMPLOYEES.**

2 (a) SINGLE-EMPLOYER PLAN BENEFITS GUARAN-
3 TEED.—Section 4022(b)(3) of the Employee Retirement
4 Income Security Act of 1974 (29 U.S.C. 1322(b)(3)) is
5 amended, in the flush matter following subparagraph (B),
6 by adding at the end the following: “If, at the time of
7 termination of a plan under this title, regulations pre-
8 scribed by the Federal Aviation Administration require an
9 individual to separate from service as a commercial airline
10 pilot after attaining a specified age which is less than age
11 65, the first sentence of this paragraph shall be applied
12 to an individual who is a participant in the plan by reason
13 of such service by substituting such age for age 65.”.

14 (b) AGGREGATE LIMIT ON BENEFITS GUARAN-
15 TEED.—Section 4022B(a) of such Act (29 U.S.C.
16 1322b(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following:
17 “If, as of such date, regulations prescribed by the Federal
18 Aviation Administration require an individual to separate
19 from service as a commercial airline pilot after attaining
20 a specified age which is less than age 65, this subsection
21 shall be applied to an individual who is a participant in
22 any such plan by reason of such service by substituting
23 such age for age 65.”.

1 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 The amendments made by this Act shall apply to ben-
3 efits payable on or after the date of the enactment of this
4 Act.

