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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 14, 1965

Mr. FOGARTY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

A BILL

To amend section 503 of title 38 of the United States Code so as to provide that certain social security benefits may be waived and not counted as income under that section.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 503 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by striking out "In determining" and inserting in lieu thereof "(a) Except as provided in subsection (b), in determining", and by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

8 "(b) For the purpose of increasing the rate of pension 9 payable under this chapter or of establishing eligibility for 10 such a pension, any person may, by filing a writing with

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the Commissioner of Social Security in such form and manner as the Commissioner may prescribe, waive all or any part of the monthly insurance benefits under title II of the Social Security Act to which such person is or may become entitled. Any amounts so waived and not received by any such person shall not be considered as income for the purposes of this chapter."

8 SEC. 2. The amendments made by the first section of 9 this Act shall take effect on the first day of the first calendar 10 month which begins more than sixty days after the date of 11 the enactment of this Act.

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