

Bill Summary

H.R. 1513

Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 2009

Increase in Rates of Disability Compensation and Dependency and Indemnity Compensation:

Amounts to be Increased-

- Wartime disability compensation
- Additional compensation for benefits
- Clothing allowance
- Dependency and indemnity compensation to surviving spouse
- Dependency and indemnity compensation to children

Determination of Increase-

Percentage- Except as provided in paragraph (2), each dollar amount described in subsection (b) shall be increased by the same percentage as the percentage by which benefit amounts payable under title II of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 401 et seq.)

Rounding- Each dollar amount increased under paragraph (1), if not a whole dollar amount, shall be rounded to the next lower whole dollar amount.