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Legislative Efforts for 1983

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Congress is now in full swing and a number of important legislative initiatives have been offered to deal with special concerns of West Virginians and all Americans.

Among just a few I am a sponsor of are listed below, with a short explanation:

HR 15, HR 500 Legislation to repeal the 10% withholding on interest and dividend income.

H.J. Res. 2 Resolution that calls on the U.S. and U.S.S.R. to negotiate a mutual nuclear weapons freeze.

H.R. 469

Measure to stabilize the funding of the Railroad Retirement program, and guarantee that money is available to assist the 70,000 unemployed railroad workers.

H.R. 1918

Bill to provide service pensions for WWI vets and their families.

H.R. 1172 Effort to allow a refundable tax credit for medical expenses.

H.R. 1036

Community Employment Act that would employ longterm unemployed at jobs to repair bridges, roads, sewers, schools and other vital community projects.

These are just a few of the projects I am currently working on the 98th Congress, in the hope to put people back to work and the put our economy back in good health.