

106TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 915

To authorize a cost of living adjustment in the pay of administrative law judges.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 2, 1999

Mr. GEKAS (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FILNER, Mr. WOLF, and Mrs. MORELLA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JUNE 10, 1999

The Committee on the Judiciary discharged

JUNE 10, 1999

Rereferred to the Committee on Government Reform

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## A BILL

To authorize a cost of living adjustment in the pay of administrative law judges.

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. PAY OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES.**

4 Section 5372(b) of title 5, United States Code, is  
5 amended—

1           (1) in paragraph (1), by inserting “(A)” after  
2           “(1)” and by striking the second sentence and in-  
3           serting the following:

4           “(B) Within level AL-3, there shall be 6 rates of  
5           basic pay, designated as AL-3, rates A through F, respec-  
6           tively. Level AL-2 and level AL-1 shall each have 1 rate  
7           of basic pay.

8           “(C) The rate of basic pay for AL-3, rate A, may  
9           not be less than 65 percent of the rate of basic pay for  
10          level IV of the Executive Schedule, and the rate of basic  
11          pay for AL-1 may not exceed the rate for level IV of the  
12          Executive Schedule.”;

13          (2) in paragraph (3)(A), by striking “upon”  
14          each time it appears and inserting “at the beginning  
15          of the next pay period following”; and

16          (3) by adding at the end the following:

17          “(4) Subject to paragraph (1), effective at the begin-  
18          ning of the first applicable pay period commencing on or  
19          after the first day of the month in which an adjustment  
20          takes effect under section 5303 in the rates of basic pay  
21          under the General Schedule, each rate of basic pay for  
22          administrative law judges shall be adjusted by an amount  
23          determined by the President to be appropriate.”

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