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H. R. 5725

To amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for the halt in pension payments for Members of Congress sentenced for certain offenses, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. NORMAN (for himself, Mr. PFLUGER, Mr. GOLDEN of Maine, Mr. DONALDS, and Mr. MCCORMICK) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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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 “No Congressionally
5 Obligated Recurring Revenue Used as Pensions To Incar-
6 cerated Officials Now Act” or the “No CORRUPTION
7 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. FORFEITURE OF PENSION.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 8332(o) of title 5, United
3 States Code, is amended—

4 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (4), (5), and
5 (6) as paragraphs (5), (6), and (7), respectively;

6 (2) by inserting after paragraph (3) the fol-
7 lowing:

8 “(4)(A) Subject to subparagraph (B), an individual
9 convicted of an offense described in paragraph (2) shall
10 not be eligible to receive any payment of an annuity pursu-
11 ant to the retirement system under this subchapter or
12 chapter 84, except that this sentence applies only to such
13 payments based on service rendered as a Member (irre-
14 spective of when rendered).

15 “(B) If the conviction of an individual described in
16 subparagraph (A) is overturned on appeal by a court of
17 competent jurisdiction, the individual shall receive pay-
18 ments that the individual would have received but for the
19 application of subparagraph (A).

20 “(C) This paragraph applies only to a conviction that
21 occurs after the date of enactment of the No Congression-
22 ally Obligated Recurring Revenue Used as Pensions To
23 Incarcerated Officials Now Act.”;

24 (3) in paragraph (5)(B)(i), as so redesignated,
25 by striking “paragraph (5)” and inserting “para-
26 graph (6)”;

1 (4) in paragraph (6), as so redesignated, by
2 striking “paragraph (4)(B)” and inserting “para-
3 graph (5)(B)”.

4 (b) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—
5 Section 719(e)(2) of title 38, United States Code, is
6 amended by striking “section 8332(o)(5)” and inserting
7 “section 8332(o)(6)”.

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