Summary Measures and Graphs Category of Change: Cost-of-Living Adjustment

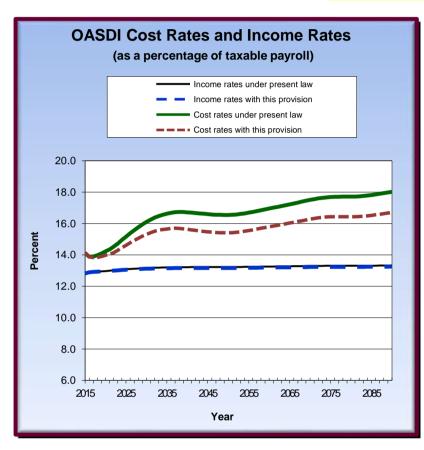
Proposed Provision: Starting December 2016, reduce the annual COLA by 0.5 percentage point.

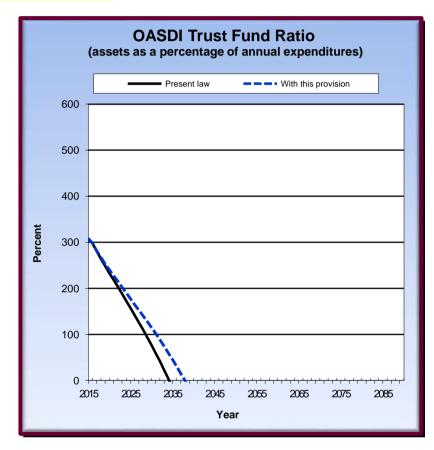
Present Law
[percent of payroll]

Long-Range Annual
Actuarial Balance in
Balance 75th Year
-2.68 -4.65

Change From Present Law	
[percent of payroll]	
Long-Range	Annual
Actuarial	Balance in
Balance	75th Year
0.90	1.23

Shortfall Eliminated	
Long-Range	Annual
Actuarial	Balance in
Balance	75th Year
34%	27%





Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2015 Trustees Report

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