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August 3, 2020

The Honorable Richard Neal, Chairman
Committee on Ways and Means
U.S. House of Representatives
2309 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515-2101

Dear Chairman Neal:

On behalf of the more than 2 million retirees and future
retirees represented by the National Retiree Legislative
Network (NRLN), I am requesting that you call for a vote in
the House Committee on Ways and Means on **H.R. 2878**,
Homecare for Seniors Act.

As the number of Americans over the age of 65 continues
to increase, for many seniors that means remaining in their
homes for as long as possible. While some families can
provide unpaid home care, not all families have that option.
Paid home care services offer many benefits, including
proper nutrition, medication reminders, and transportation
to doctor visits.

H.R. 2878 would allow tax-exempt distributions from health
savings accounts (HSAs) to be used for qualified home
care and require the Department of Health and Human
Services to carry out a campaign to increase public
awareness of the in-home service expenses that are
eligible for tax-free distribution from HSAs.

If you would like to learn more about the NRLN's
support for **H.R. 2878**, please ask a member of your
staff to contact Alyson Parker, NRLN Executive Director
in Washington, DC, at executivedirector@nrln.org or
813-545-6792

The NRLN's full Legislative Agenda and detailed
whitepapers can be found at www.nrln.org. Your
consideration on these issues would also be
appreciated.

Sincerely,

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