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June 13, 2016

The Honorable Chuck Schumer  
United States Senate  
322 Hart Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510-3203

Dear Senator Schumer:

The National Retiree Legislative Network (NRLN) that represents more than 2 million retirees was pleased when you introduced **S. 377, Medicare Ambulance Access, Fraud Prevention, and Reform Act**, on February 4, 2015. We are disappointed that the Senate Finance Committee has not passed the bill.

If there is anything we as advocates for retirees and a supporter of your bill can do to help move the bill forward please let me know.

We believe passage of your bill is important because it would preserve emergency care in rural areas by ensuring that rural ambulance service providers are fairly paid for their services.

I have also sent a letter to Representative Greg Walden who introduced H.R. 745, the companion bill.

The NRLN's full Legislative Agenda and detailed whitepapers can be found at [www.nrln.org](http://www.nrln.org). Your consideration on these issues would also be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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