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DUTCH PARLIAMENT MULLS INCREASED STATE PENSION RETIREMENT AGE

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A <u>bill</u> (Dutch) that would require a more gradual increase to the state pension retirement age was submitted to the Dutch parliament on 17 Jun 2019. The proposals follow agreement by the social partners and government on pension reforms.

The bill proposes that the rate of increase for the retirement age would be:

YEAR	CURRENT RETIREMENT AGE	PROPOSED RETIREMENT AGE
2020	66 years and 8 months	66 and 4 months
2021	67	66 and 4 months
2022	67 and 3 months	66 and 7 months
2023	67 and 3 months	66 and 10 months
2024	67 and 3 months	67
Following years	On the basis of increase in life expectancy	On the basis of increase in life expectancy



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