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Stop Tuberculosis (TB) Now Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jun 27, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7001) (Jun 27, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** HI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (8 total)

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Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 27, 2001
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Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jun 27, 2001
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Jun 27, 2001
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jul 17, 2001
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Jul 20, 2001
Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]	R · IN		Jul 25, 2001
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 27, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 27, 2001)

Stop Tuberculosis (TB) Now Act - Amends the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to declare that a major objective of the U.S. foreign assistance program is to control tuberculosis (TB). States that consequently Congress expects the agency primarily responsible for the administration of TB control health programs to: (1) coordinate with the World Health Organization and other designated health organizations toward the development and implementation of a comprehensive TB control program, by expanding the use of the strategy of directly observed treatment, short course (DOTS) and strategies to address multi-drug resistant TB (MDR-TB) where appropriate at the local level, particularly in countries with the highest TB rate; and (2) set as a goal the cure of at least 95 percent of TB cases detected by focusing efforts on the use of DOTS strategy or other internationally accepted primary TB control strategies in those countries in which the agency has established development programs by December 31, 2010.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 27, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 27, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7001)
- **Jun 27, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7001)

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