

S 1259

Rural and Urban Health Care Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Immigration

Introduced: Jul 27, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8356-

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8356-8358) (Jul 27, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]

Party: Republican • State: KS • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Graham, Bob [D-FL] | D · FL | | Jul 27, 2001 |
| Sen. Helms, Jesse [R-NC] | R · NC | | Jul 27, 2001 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Judiciary Committee | Senate | Referred To | Jul 27, 2001 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2001)

Rural and Urban Health Care Act of 2001 - Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to: (1) revise admission requirements for nonimmigrant alien nurses, including increasing the type of qualifying employer-facilities; (2) revise related immigrant status provisions; and (3) increase the number of annual two-year foreign residency requirement waivers for aliens receiving graduate medical education or training in the United States.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services to award grants to States, local governments, and institutions of higher education for recruitment and training of domestic registered nurses and other health care providers.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 27, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8355-8356, S8357-8358)
- **Jul 27, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8356-8358)