

S 1723

Protect Victims of Identity Theft Act of 2001

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Finance and Financial Sector

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Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Nov 16, 2001
Sen. Breaux, John B. [D-LA]	D · LA		Nov 27, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 3368	Identical bill	<b>Jan 14, 2002:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property.

Summary (as of Nov 16, 2001)

Protect Victims of Identity Theft Act of 2001 - Amends the Fair Credit Reporting Act, with respect to the statute of limitations on actions, to provide that an action to enforce a liability may be brought not later than two years after the date on which the violation is discovered or should have been discovered by the exercise of reasonable diligence. Tolls such limitation period during any period during which a defendant has materially and willfully misrepresented information statutorily required to be disclosed where such misrepresentation is material to establishment of liability.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 16, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 16, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S12005-12006)
- **Nov 16, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S12006)