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Rural Communities Hospice Care Access Improvement Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Health
Introduced: Dec 18, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13467)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13467) (Dec

18, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]

Party: Republican • State: MS • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	$I \cdot VT$		Jun 5, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date	
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 18, 2001	

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 3270	Identical bill	Jun 27, 2002: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H4291)

Summary (as of Dec 18, 2001)

Rural Communities Hospice Care Access Improvement Act of 2001 - Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act (SSA) to create an exception to the Medicare 20 percent inpatient care limitation for certain rural hospice programs with 20 beds or fewer.

Actions Timeline

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