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## S 251

RU-486 Patient Health and Safety Protection Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Health
Introduced: Feb 6, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Feb 6, 2001)

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### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Hutchinson, Tim [R-AR]

Party: Republican • State: AR • Chamber: Senate

### **Cosponsors** (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		Feb 6, 2001
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	$R \cdot NE$		Feb 6, 2001
Sen. Smith, Bob [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		Feb 6, 2001
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R · AL		Mar 12, 2001

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 6, 2001

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Health

### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 482	Identical bill	Mar 14, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

### Summary (as of Feb 6, 2001)

RU-486 Patient Health and Safety Protection Act - Restricts the prescribing of the drug mifepristone (commonly referred to as RU-486, to be marketed as Mifeprex) to physicians who meet specified requirements.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Feb 6, 2001: Introduced in Senate
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