

S 2591

Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2002

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

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

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Sen. Frist, William H. [R-TN]	R · TN		Jun 10, 2002
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Jun 17, 2002
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jun 17, 2002
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Jun 19, 2002
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 19, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 5, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 4888	Identical bill	Jul 22, 2002: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 363.

Summary (as of Jun 5, 2002)

Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2002 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to extend funding for the mammography facilities certification program through FY 2007.

Permits the Secretary of Health and Human Services to issue a temporary certificate to facilities seeking reaccreditation and awarded an accreditation extension for specified reasons, including inability of accrediting body to complete the process in time and unforeseen situations which cause the facility to be unable to meet the reaccreditation timeframes, but do not compromise the quality of mammography.

Requires the Comptroller General to evaluate the Mammography Quality Standards Act, including the demonstration program's frequency of inspections, accessibility of services, and the role of States as both accreditation and certification bodies.

Directs the Secretary to contract with the Institute of Medicine to study health professional training in the area of mammography.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 5, 2002:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 5, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5054)
- **Jun 5, 2002:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.