

## S 2611

### Museum and Library Services Act of 2002

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Arts, Culture, Religion

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### Sponsor

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Chafee, Lincoln [R-RI]	R · RI		Jun 11, 2002
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Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 11, 2002
Sen. Wellstone, Paul D. [D-MN]	D · MN		Jun 11, 2002
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Sen. Daschle, Thomas A. [D-SD]	D · SD		Jun 12, 2002
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Jun 12, 2002
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 17, 2002
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 24, 2002
Sen. Torricelli, Robert G. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 24, 2002
Sen. Cleland, Max [D-GA]	D · GA		Jun 26, 2002
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Jul 9, 2002
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	R · OR		Jul 15, 2002
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	D · MT		Jul 18, 2002
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Sep 3, 2002
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Sep 4, 2002
Sen. Sarbanes, Paul S. [D-MD]	D · MD		Sep 26, 2002

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 11, 2002

### Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 3784	Related bill	<b>Apr 10, 2002:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 235.

### Summary (as of Jun 11, 2002)

Museum and Library Services Act of 2002 - Amends the Museum and Library Services Act (MLSA) and the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) to extend authorizations of appropriations and revise programs under such Acts. Amends MLSA to establish the National Museum and Library Services Board, within the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS). (Eliminates a National Museum Services Board.)

Requires the IMLS Director to: (1) ensure coordination with certain activities under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and other Federal activities; and (2) conduct and publish analyses of museum and library services impact.

Revises requirements for annual national awards to outstanding libraries and museums that have made significant contributions in service to their communities.

Amends LSTA to provide for: (1) an increased portion for administrative costs; (2) an increased alternative minimum allotment to States under certain conditions; (3) competitive grants to specified U.S. Territories; (4) State plans once every five years, as determined by the IMLS Director; (5) additional uses of grants to States for library programs; and (6) recruitment of library and information science personnel under the program of national leadership grants, contracts, and cooperative agreements.

Includes specified entities under the term museum, for MLSA purposes. Revises museum services activities.

Repeals requirements under the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science Act relating to Commission responsibilities to: (1) advise the IMLS Director; and (2) meet with the National Museum Services Board, which is eliminated by this Act.

Revises Commission membership requirements.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jun 11, 2002:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 11, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5372)
- **Jun 11, 2002:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5372-5375)