

HR 5325

Second Opinion Coverage Act of 2002

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Sep 4, 2002

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations. (Nov 14, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-49]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 14, 2002
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 23, 2002
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 4, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 4, 2002)

Second Opinion Coverage Act of 2002 - Amends the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and the Internal Revenue Code to require group and individual health insurance coverage and group health plans to provide coverage for second opinions.

Directs the Secretaries of Health and Human Services, of Labor, and of the Treasury to coordinate administration of this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 14, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations.
- **Sep 23, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 4, 2002:** Introduced in House
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- **Sep 4, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1490)
- **Sep 4, 2002:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
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