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### S 710

Eliminate Colorectal Cancer Act of 2002

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Health Introduced: Apr 5, 2001

Current Status: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 555.

Latest Action: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 555. (Aug 28, 2002)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

# Cosponsors (25 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Sen. Helms, Jesse [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$	Apr 5, 2001
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA	Jun 11, 2001
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$	Jun 13, 2001
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	$D \cdot SD$	Jun 22, 2001
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA]	D · GA	Aug 2, 2001
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$	Sep 10, 2001
Sen. Daschle, Thomas A. [D-SD]	$D \cdot SD$	Feb 14, 2002
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA	Apr 15, 2002
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA	Apr 15, 2002
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	$D \cdot NV$	Apr 15, 2002
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	$R \cdot KS$	Apr 29, 2002
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	$R \cdot KS$	Apr 29, 2002
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA	May 6, 2002
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT	May 15, 2002
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	$D \cdot DE$	Sep 18, 2002
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL	Sep 20, 2002
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$	Sep 20, 2002
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	$R \cdot OR$	Sep 25, 2002
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	$D\cdotMT$	Sep 30, 2002
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE	Oct 1, 2002
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	$D \cdot NY$	Oct 1, 2002
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$	Oct 2, 2002
Sen. Cleland, Max [D-GA]	D · GA	Oct 8, 2002
Sen. Fitzgerald, Peter [R-IL]	$R \cdot IL$	Oct 17, 2002
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR	Oct 17, 2002

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Reported By	Aug 28, 2002

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

Policy Area:

Health

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

#### **Summary** (as of Aug 28, 2002)

Eliminate Colorectal Cancer Act of 2002- Amends the Public Health Service Act and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) to require coverage of colorectal cancer screening according to certain guidelines by a group health plan, a health insurance issuer offering group health insurance coverage, and a health insurance issuer in the individual market.

Directs the Secretaries of Labor and of Health and Human Services to ensure coordination in the implementation and enforcement of this Act.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Aug 28, 2002: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Kennedy under authority of the order of the Senate of 07/29/2002 with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 107-245. Minority views filed.
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- Jul 10, 2002: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- Jun 26, 2002: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Committee consideration and Mark Up Session held.
- Apr 5, 2001: Introduced in Senate
- Apr 5, 2001: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3537-3538, S3539)
- Apr 5, 2001: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3538-3539)