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Citizens' Privacy Commission Act of 2001

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Thompson, Fred [R-TN]

Party: Republican • State: TN • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

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| Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME] | R · ME | | May 9, 2001 |
| Sen. Fitzgerald, Peter [R-IL] | R · IL | | May 9, 2001 |
| Sen. Kohl, Herb [D-WI] | D · WI | | May 9, 2001 |
| Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI] | D · MI | | May 9, 2001 |
| Sen. Thurmond, Strom [R-SC] | R · SC | | May 9, 2001 |
| Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH] | R · OH | | May 9, 2001 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate | Referred To | May 9, 2001 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 9, 2001)

Citizens' Privacy Commission Act of 2001 - Establishes the Citizen's Privacy Commission to study and report to Congress and the President on issues relating to protection of individual privacy and the appropriate balance to be achieved between protecting such privacy and allowing appropriate uses of information, including: (1) the collection, use, and distribution of personal information by government; (2) privacy protection efforts and proposals of government; and (3) individual redress for privacy violations by government.

Prescribes privacy protections to be employed by the Commission.

Actions Timeline

- **May 9, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 9, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4604-4605)
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