

S 928

Older Workers' Rights Restoration Act of 2001

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Jeffords, James M. [R-VT]

Party: Independent • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		May 22, 2001
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 22, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Reported By	Apr 15, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 15, 2002)

Older Workers' Rights Restoration Act of 2001 (sic) - Amends the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 to require States to waive their sovereign immunity to lawsuit for violations of such Act against State employees in programs or activities that receive Federal financial assistance.

Allows such State employees to sue: (1) States for equitable, legal, or other authorized relief; and (2) State officials for injunctive relief, as authorized upon compliance with certain procedures, with the award of costs to the prevailing party.

Applies such State waiver, following enactment of this Act, to conduct on or after the day the State first receives or uses Federal financial assistance for the program or activity. Applies this Act with respect to injunctive relief against a State official to any suit pending on or after enactment.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 15, 2002:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Kennedy without amendment. With written report No. 107-142. Minority views filed.
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- **Sep 13, 2001:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **May 22, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 22, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5458-5459)
- **May 22, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5459)