

S 1556

Legal Services Benefit Act of 2003

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Aug 1, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10910)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10910) (Aug 1, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]

Party: Republican • State: OR • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Breaux, John B. [D-LA]	D · LA		Aug 1, 2003
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Aug 1, 2003
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Aug 1, 2003
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	D · WV		Aug 1, 2003
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Aug 1, 2003
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		May 6, 2004
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Sep 28, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 1, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 2031	Related bill	May 8, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
108 HR 1549	Related bill	Apr 1, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
108 HR 973	Related bill	Feb 27, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Legal Services Benefit Act of 2003 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to restore, increase, and make permanent the exclusion from gross income for amounts received under qualified group legal services plans.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Aug 1, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Aug 1, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10909-10910)
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