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# S 1686

Adoption Promotion Act of 2003 Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Social Welfare Introduced: Sep 30, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S12195-

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### **Sponsor**

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Party: Republican • State: IA • Chamber: Senate

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	D · MT		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	$R \cdot KY$		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]	$R \cdot ID$		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		Sep 30, 2003
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Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D·LA		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	$D\cdotMI$		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	$D \cdot AR$		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]	D · NE		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	$D \cdot WV$		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	$R \cdot TN$		Oct 1, 2003
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Oct 1, 2003
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		Oct 14, 2003
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	$D \cdot NM$		Oct 22, 2003
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		Nov 13, 2003
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Nov 14, 2003

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 30, 2003

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Social Welfare

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 3182	Identical bill	Dec 2, 2003: Became Public Law No: 108-145.

#### Summary (as of Sep 30, 2003)

Adoption Promotion Act of 2003 - Amends part E (Foster Care and Adoption Assistance) of title IV of the Social Security Act to revise requirements with respect to States eligible to receive adoption incentives payments. Reauthorizes the adoption incentive payments program. Provides additional incentives for adoptions of older children (nine years of age and up). Modifies requirements with respect to determination of numbers of special needs adoptions that are not older children as well as adoptions of older children.

Revises the formula for adoption incentive payments to States to provide a payment for: (1) special needs adoptions that are not older child adoptions; and (2) older child adoptions.

Repeals the requirement that the Secretary of Health and Human Services provide supplemental grants to incentiveeligible States.

Authorizes the Secretary to impose specified penalties against a State for failure to provide necessary data to the Secretary for the Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Sep 30, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- Sep 30, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S12195)
- Sep 30, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S12195-12196)