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## S 1879

Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2004

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Health Introduced: Nov 18, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 24, 2004) Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/1879

#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]

Party: Democratic • State: MD • Chamber: Senate

#### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Nov 18, 2003
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Nov 20, 2003
Sen. Gregg, Judd [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		Nov 21, 2003
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Nov 24, 2003

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 24, 2004
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Reported By	Dec 9, 2003

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

#### **Policy Area:**

#### Health

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4555	Related bill	Oct 25, 2004: Became Public Law No: 108-365.

# (This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The expanded summary of the Senate reported version is repeated here, with an updated title.)

Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2004 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to issue a temporary renewal certificate (45-day maximum) to a mammography facility seeking reaccreditation if the accreditation body has issued an accreditation extension based upon the fact that the facility has: (1) submitted the required materials but the accreditation body was unable to complete the reaccreditation process before certification expiration; or (2) acquired additional or replacement equipment, or has had significant personnel changes or other unforeseen situations that have caused it to be unable to meet reaccreditation time frames, but in the opinion of the accreditation body has not compromised mammography quality.

Authorizes the Secretary, upon the request of an accreditation body, to issue a limited provisional certificate to an entity to enable it to conduct examinations for educational purposes while an onsite visit from an accreditation body is in progress (72-hour maximum).

Authorizes appropriations for the mammography facilities certification program through FY 2005.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Feb 24, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Feb 3, 2004: Received in the House.
- Feb 3, 2004: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Feb 3, 2004: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- Feb 2, 2004: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S379; text as passed Senate: CR S379)
- Feb 2, 2004: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S379; text as passed Senate: CR S379)
- Dec 9, 2003: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Gregg without amendment. With written report No. 108-220.
- Dec 9, 2003: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Gregg without amendment. With written report No. 108-220.
- Dec 9, 2003: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 424.
- Nov 21, 2003: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- Nov 18, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- Nov 18, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S15062-15064)
- Nov 18, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.