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American Horse Slaughter Prevention Act of 2004

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Animals

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Sponsor

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Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jul 15, 2004
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 21, 2004
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Sep 14, 2004
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Nov 16, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 27, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 857	Related bill	Mar 3, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.

The American Horse Slaughter Prevention Act of 2004 - Prohibits a person from: (1) slaughtering a horse for human consumption; (2) importing to, or exporting from, the United States horseflesh or horses for human consumption; (3) selling, bartering, transferring, receiving, or distributing horseflesh or horses for human consumption; or (4) soliciting or knowingly causing any such actions.

Sets forth provisions respecting: (1) criminal and civil penalties; (2) enforcement authority of the Secretary of Agriculture; (3) placement of confiscated horses; (4) euthanasia of unplaceable or severely injured or diseased horses; (4) funding of animal rescue facilities; and (5) exemptions.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 27, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 27, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4432-4433)
- **Apr 27, 2004:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.