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S 2473

Medicare Trust Fund Reimbursement Act of 2004

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Health
Introduced: May 21, 2004

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6089)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6089) (May

21, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]

Party: Democratic • State: NJ • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		May 21, 2004
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	$D \cdot NJ$		May 21, 2004
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 21, 2004
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		May 21, 2004
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		May 21, 2004
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Jun 2, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 21, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4458	Identical bill	Jun 7, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.

Medicare Trust Fund Reimbursement Act of 2004 - Provides that if the Comptroller General of the United States determines that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services have violated the restriction on using appropriated funds for publicity or propaganda purposes contained in the Consolidated Appropriations Resolution, 2003 or any other provision of law, the principal campaign committee of the President shall reimburse the Federal Government for the amount used in committing such violation as appropriate. Requires the amount reimbursed to be credited to the appropriate Medicare trust fund to the extent that it was initially appropriated to such trust fund.

Actions Timeline

- May 21, 2004: Introduced in Senate
- May 21, 2004: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6088-6089, S6089-6093)
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