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S 2676

A bill to amend chapter 4 of title 39, United States Code, to provide for the issuance of a semipostal stamp in order to provide funding for childhood drinking prevention and education, and for other purposes.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jul 15, 2004

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR

\$8239-8240) (Jul 15, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]

Party: Republican • State: TX • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	$D \cdot M D$		Jul 15, 2004
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 7, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 15, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Amends Federal law to require the Postal Service to establish a special rate of postage (a special postage stamp) for first class mail that is up to 25 percent higher than the regular rate as a voluntary alternative that the public may use to contribute to funding for childhood drinking prevention and education. Requires collected amounts to be paid to the Department of Health and Human Services.

Expresses the sense of Congress that nothing in this Act should: (1) cause a net decrease in total Federal funding for childhood drinking prevention and education below the level that would otherwise have been received but for this Act's enactment; or (2) affect first class or other regular postage rates.

Requires the special postage stamps to be made available to the public.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 15, 2004: Introduced in Senate
- Jul 15, 2004: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8239)
- Jul 15, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8239-8240)