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S 2829

Samaritan Initiative Act of 2004 Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

Introduced: Sep 22, 2004

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (text of the measur Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (text of the measure as

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Allard, Wayne [R-CO]

Party: Republican • State: CO • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		Sep 22, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 22, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Samaritan Initiative Act of 2004 - Amends the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act to establish a program through the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under which a participating Federal agency shall make matching grants to eligible entities, including faith-based and community-based organizations, for permanent housing (provision of housing or rental assistance) and related treatment (including health and drug and alcohol treatment) and support services for chronically homeless persons.

Requires: (1) a participating Federal agency to establish an interagency implementation and monitoring team; and (2) a grantee to establish a homeless management information system.

Obligates specified authorizations of appropriations for: (1) HUD; (2) the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); and (3) the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). Authorizes the participation of other Federal agencies.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 22, 2004: Introduced in Senate
- Sep 22, 2004: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9530)
- Sep 22, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (text of the measure as introduced: CR S9530-9533)