

S 2994

A bill to provide that funds received as universal service contributions under section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934 and the universal service support programs established pursuant thereto are not subject to certain provisions of title 31, United States Code, commonly known as the Antideficiency Act, for a period of time.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Nov 17, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]

Party: Republican • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	R · MT		Nov 17, 2004
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Nov 17, 2004
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	D · WV		Nov 17, 2004
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Nov 17, 2004
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	D · MT		Nov 19, 2004
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Nov 19, 2004
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Nov 19, 2004
Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]	D · NE		Dec 7, 2004
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Dec 7, 2004
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		Dec 8, 2004
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Dec 8, 2004
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Dec 8, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 17, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 17, 2004)

Makes Federal provisions which prohibit the obligation or expenditure of funds either in excess of appropriated amounts or in violation of sequestration orders under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1986 inapplicable, during the period beginning on the enactment of this Act and ending on December 31, 2005, to: (1) any amount collected or received as Federal universal service contributions; or (2) the expenditure or obligation of amounts attributable to such contributions.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 17, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 17, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11434-11435)
- **Nov 17, 2004:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.