

HR 5213

Research Review Act of 2004

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Law: 108-427 (Enacted Nov 30, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Bilirakis, Michael [R-FL-9]

Party: Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kelly, Sue W. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Oct 6, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 5, 2004
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 8, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on October 7, 2004. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Research Review Act of 2004 - Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services, in coordination with the Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), to report to specified congressional committees on the methods by which the Roadmap for Medical Research has advanced the use of multidisciplinary research teams and consortia of research institutions to advance treatments, develop new therapies, and collaborate on clinical trials, including with respect to spinal cord injury and paralysis research.

Requires the Secretary, acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), to report to such committees on: (1) the epidemiological studies currently underway at such Centers, future planned studies, the criteria involved in determining what epidemiological studies to conduct, defer, or suspend, and the scope of those studies, including with respect to the inflammatory bowel disease epidemiological study; and (2) CDC activities to establish partnerships with research and patient advocacy communities to expand epidemiological studies.

Requires the Comptroller General of the United States to study and report to Congress on: (1) Medicare and Medicaid coverage standards that apply to patients with inflammatory bowel disease for specified therapies, taking into account appropriate outpatient or home health care delivery settings; and (2) the problems patients encounter when applying for disability insurance benefits under title II of the Social Security Act and recommendations for improving the application process for patients with inflammatory bowel disease.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 30, 2004:** Signed by President.
- **Nov 30, 2004:** Became Public Law No: 108-427.
- **Nov 19, 2004:** Presented to President.
- **Nov 16, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S11389)
- **Nov 16, 2004:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S11389)
- **Nov 16, 2004:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Oct 8, 2004:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Oct 8, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 7, 2004:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8650-8651)
- **Oct 7, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 418 - 0 (Roll no. 504).(text: CR 10/6/2004 H8255)
- **Oct 7, 2004:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 418 - 0 (Roll no. 504). (text: CR 10/6/2004 H8255)
- **Oct 7, 2004:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Mr. Bilirakis moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8255-8257)
- **Oct 6, 2004:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5213.
- **Oct 6, 2004:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Oct 5, 2004:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 5, 2004:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Oct 5, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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