

S 605

A bill to extend waivers under the temporary assistance to needy families program through the end of fiscal year 2008.

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 12, 2003)
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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]
Party: Republican • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	R · VA		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	D · MT		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	R · MT		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Warner, John [R-VA]	R · VA		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 12, 2003
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 17, 2003
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 20, 2003
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Apr 10, 2003
Sen. Hollings, Ernest F. [D-SC]	D · SC		May 5, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 12, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 12, 2003)

Amends part A (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) (TANF) of title IV of the Social Security Act (SSA) to give States the option to continue to operate under waivers between January 1, 2002, and September 30, 2008, with respect to provision of assistance under a State TANF plan.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 12, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 12, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3623)
- **Mar 12, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.