

## S 948

### Drug Company Gift Disclosure Act

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Commerce

**Introduced:** Apr 29, 2003

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5494-5495) (Apr 29, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/948>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 29, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Commerce

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 757	Identical bill	<b>Feb 26, 2003:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

### Summary (as of Apr 29, 2003)

Drug Company Gift Disclosure Act - Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require drug manufacturers, packers, and distributors to disclose to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs the value, nature, and purpose of: (1) gifts made to covered health entities in connection with marketing activities; and (2) cash rebates, discounts, or any other financial consideration to any pharmaceutical benefit manager in connection with marketing activities. Makes such information available to the public, but retains the confidentiality of trade secrets. Establishes civil penalties for violations.

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 29, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
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