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S 1018

Federal Employee Commuter Benefits Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: May 12, 2005

Current Status: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of

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Latest Action: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of

Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia. (Jun 9, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Sarbanes, Paul S. [D-MD]

Party: Democratic • State: MD • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	$D\cdotMD$		May 16, 2005
Sen. Warner, John [R-VA]	$R \cdot VA$		May 16, 2005
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	$R \cdot VA$		May 17, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred to	Jun 9, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 12, 2005)

Federal Employee Commuter Benefits Act of 2005 - Requires each Federal agency in the National Capital Region to implement a program under which all qualified Federal employees serving in or under such agency shall be offered transit pass transportation fringe benefits as required under Executive Order 13150.

Authorizes the use of a passenger carrier to transport a Federal officer or employee between his or her place of employment and a mass transit facility. Requires a Federal agency that provides such service to: (1) absorb the cost; (2) when possible, use alternative fuel vehicles; and (3) coordinate such transportation with other Federal agencies.

Actions Timeline

- Jun 9, 2005: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia.
- May 12, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- May 12, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5106-5107)
- May 12, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5107)