

## S 1083

### Express Carrier Employee Protection Act

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** May 19, 2005

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (May 19, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/1083>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** IA • **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	May 19, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 5330	Identical bill	<b>May 10, 2006:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads.

### Summary (as of May 19, 2005)

Express Carrier Employee Protection Act - Amends the Railway Labor Act (RLA) to provide for RLA coverage of express carrier employees only if they are licensed airmen, licensed aircraft maintenance technicians, or licensed aircraft dispatchers, and only if they perform duties pursuant to the privileges of an appropriate license.

Declares that all other express carrier employees shall be covered by the National Labor Relations Act.

Defines express carriers as companies (including affiliates under common control or ownership) that have an integrated network of air and surface transportation for express shipment of packages.

### Actions Timeline

- May 19, 2005:** introduced in Senate
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