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Democracy Day Act of 2005

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: May 26, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 26, 2005)

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 26, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 63	Related bill	Jan 4, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.

Summary (as of May 26, 2005)

Democracy Day Act of 2005 - Requires the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November in 2006 and in each even-number year thereafter (Election Day) to be treated as a legal public holiday for purposes relating to the pay and leave of Federal employees. Urges private employers to provide their employees flexibility on that day to enable them to vote. Directs the Comptroller General to conduct a study of the impact of such requirement on voter participation.

Actions Timeline

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