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SRES 121

A resolution supporting May 2005 as "National Better Hearing and Speech Month" and commending those states that have implemented routine hearing screening for every newborn before the newborn leaves the hospital.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commemorations **Introduced:** Apr 25, 2005

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text:

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Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR

4/28/2005 S4604-4605) (Apr 29, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]

Party: Republican • State: MN • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT] | $D \cdot CT$ | | Apr 25, 2005 |
| Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME] | $R \cdot ME$ | | Apr 25, 2005 |
| Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY] | $R \cdot KY$ | | Apr 27, 2005 |
| Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL] | D·IL | | Apr 27, 2005 |
| Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA] | $R \cdot GA$ | | Jul 13, 2005 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee | Senate | Discharged From | Apr 29, 2005 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Expresses support for the goals and ideals of May 2005 as National Better Hearing and Speech Month.

Commends those States that have implemented routine hearing screenings for every newborn before they leave the hospital.

Encourages all people in the United States to have their hearing checked regularly.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 29, 2005: Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR 4/28/2005 S4604-4605)
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- Apr 29, 2005: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR 4/28/2005 S4604-4605)
- Apr 29, 2005: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR 4/28/2005 S4604-4605)
- Apr 25, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Apr 25, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4194)
- Apr 25, 2005: Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4193-4194)