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SABIR Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • State: MO • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Talent, Jim [R-MO]	R · MO		Jul 19, 2005
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jan 25, 2006
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Feb 2, 2006
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	R · VA		Mar 6, 2006
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 14, 2006
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 28, 2006
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Apr 3, 2006
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		May 16, 2006
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Jul 27, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 16, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 2943	Related bill	Jun 23, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards.

Save America's Biotechnology Innovative Research Act of 2005 or SABIR Act - Amends provisions of the Small Business Act relating to the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program (a program under which a portion of a Federal agency's research or research and development funds are reserved for award to small businesses) to require a small business, in order to be SBIR-eligible, to have no more than 500 employees and be one of the following; (1) at least 51 percent owned and controlled by individuals or eligible venture capital companies who are U.S. citizens or permanent resident aliens; (2) not more than 49 percent owned and controlled by a single eligible venture capital company; (3) at least 51 percent owned and controlled by another business that is itself at least 51 percent owned and controlled by U.S. Citizens or permanent resident aliens; or (4) a joint venture in which each entity meets one of these ownership requirements.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 16, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 16, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6758-6759)
- **Jun 16, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6759)