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S 1313

Protection of Homes, Small Businesses, and Private Property Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]

Party: Republican • State: TX • Chamber: Senate

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	$R \cdot AZ$		Jul 11, 2005
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R·LA		Jul 11, 2005
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	$R \cdot OK$		Jul 12, 2005
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Jul 29, 2005
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 29, 2005
Sen. Warner, John [R-VA]	$R \cdot VA$		Sep 8, 2005
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		Sep 14, 2005
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	$R \cdot WY$		Sep 19, 2005
Sen. Talent, Jim [R-MO]	$R \cdot MO$		Sep 21, 2005
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Oct 3, 2005
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	$R \cdot NE$		Dec 13, 2005
Sen. Allard, Wayne [R-CO]	R · CO		Aug 1, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Sep 20, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 3087	Identical bill	Nov 1, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H9454-9455, H9456-9458)
109 HR 3083	Identical bill	Aug 23, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Summary (as of Jun 27, 2005)

Protection of Homes, Small Businesses, and Private Property Act of 2005 - Declares that the power of eminent domain shall be available only for public use, which shall not be construed to include economic development. Applies such limitation to all exercises of eminent domain by the federal government or by state and local governments through the use of federal funds.

Actions Timeline

- Jun 23, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6449)
- Sep 20, 2005: Committee on the Judiciary. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-208.
- Jun 27, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 27, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7429-7430)
- Jun 27, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.