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United States-Israel Energy Cooperation Act

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Oct 7, 2005
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Oct 7, 2005
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Oct 17, 2005
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Mar 14, 2006
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	D · IL		May 3, 2006
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 16, 2006
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	R · OH		May 22, 2006
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	R · NE		Jun 5, 2006
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jun 6, 2006
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 6, 2006
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Jun 6, 2006
Sen. Bayh, Evan [D-IN]	D · IN		Jun 12, 2006
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jul 12, 2006
Sen. Salazar, Ken [D-CO]	D · CO		Jul 12, 2006
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Dec 5, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 7, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 7, 2005)

United States-Israel Energy Cooperation Act - Instructs the Secretary of Energy, in implementing the Agreement between the Department of Energy of the United States of America and the Ministry of Energy and Infrastructure of Israel Concerning Energy Cooperation, to establish a grant program to support research, development, and commercialization of alternative renewable energy sources.

Authorizes grants to promote the following: (1) solar energy; (2) biomass energy; (3) energy efficiency; (4) wind energy; and (5) fossil energy.

Directs the Secretary to establish an advisory board to: (1) monitor how such grants are awarded; and (2) provide periodic performance reviews of actions taken to carry out the grant program.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 24, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11766)
- **Oct 7, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Oct 7, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.