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CAMRA Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Sep 25, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS] | R · KS | | Oct 20, 2005 |
| Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY] | D · NY | | Oct 20, 2005 |
| Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL] | D · IL | | Oct 20, 2005 |
| Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA] | R · PA | | Oct 20, 2005 |
| Sen. Bayh, Evan [D-IN] | D · IN | | Dec 16, 2005 |
| Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY] | R · WY | | Sep 13, 2006 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 25, 2006 |
| Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee | Senate | Reported By | Sep 5, 2006 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| 109 HR 4124 | Related bill | Nov 22, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. |
| 109 S 579 | Related bill | Mar 9, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2396-2397) |

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on September 5, 2006. The summary of that version is repeated here.)]

Children and Media Research Advancement Act or the CAMRA Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), to enter into a contract with the National Academy of Science or another appropriate entity to: (1) review, synthesize, and report on research regarding the roles and impact of electronic media and exposures to such media on youth in core areas of development; and (2) establish research priorities regarding such issues.

Directs the Secretary, acting through the Director, to award grants for research concerning the role and impact of electronic media on the cognitive, physical, and socio-behavioral development of youth. Requires such research to: (1) focus on the impact of factors such as media content, format, length of exposure, age of youth, venue, and nature of parental involvement; and (2) include as electronic media television, motion pictures, DVDs, interactive video games, digital music, the Internet, and cell phones.

Sets forth reporting requirements.

Authorizes appropriations.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 25, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Sep 14, 2006:** Received in the House.
- **Sep 14, 2006:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 14, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Sep 13, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S9564-9565)
- **Sep 13, 2006:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S9564-9565)
- **Sep 5, 2006:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Reported by Senator Enzi with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 109-323.
- **Sep 5, 2006:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 585.
- **Mar 8, 2006:** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Oct 20, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Oct 20, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11669-11671)
- **Oct 20, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11671-11672)

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