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Extending the Child Safety Pilot Program Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Nov 4, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Feb 6, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]

Party: Democratic • State: DE • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		Nov 4, 2005
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Nov 8, 2005
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Nov 17, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 17, 2005
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 6, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

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.)

Extending the Child Safety Pilot Program Act of 2005 - Amends the PROTECT Act to extend the Child Safety Pilot Program, under which volunteer organizations serving children and youth may obtain criminal history background checks on their volunteers, for an additional 30-month period.

Expands the types of volunteer organizations eligible to participate in such program.

Shortens deadlines for return of background check results under such program.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 6, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- Nov 18, 2005: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S13412; text as passed Senate: CR S13412)
- Nov 18, 2005: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S13412; text as passed Senate: CR S13412)
- Nov 18, 2005: Received in the House.
- Nov 18, 2005: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Nov 18, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- Nov 17, 2005: Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- Nov 17, 2005: Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Specter without amendment. Without written report.
- Nov 17, 2005: Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Specter without amendment. Without written report.
- Nov 17, 2005: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 298.
- Nov 4, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Nov 4, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S12401-12402)
- Nov 4, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.