

S 2131

Fair Contracts for Growers Act of 2005

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

Party: Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 16, 2005
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	R · NE		Dec 16, 2005
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Dec 16, 2005
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Jan 26, 2006
Sen. Kohl, Herb [D-WI]	D · WI		Jan 26, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 16, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 16, 2005)

Fair Contracts for Growers Act of 2005 - Allows the use of arbitration to resolve a controversy as provided for under a livestock or poultry contract only if, after the controversy arises, both parties consent. Directs the arbitrator to provide to the parties to the contract a written explanation of the factual and legal basis for an award.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 16, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Dec 16, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S13794-13797)
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