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Title X Family Planning Act

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Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Health
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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]
Party: Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. DeMint, Jim [R-SC]	R · SC		Jan 27, 2006
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Jan 27, 2006
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Feb 1, 2006
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 6, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 27, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 27, 2006)

Title X Family Planning Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to prohibit federal family planning funds from being awarded to any grantees who perform abortions or whose subgrantees perform abortions, except where a woman suffers from a physical disorder, physical injury, or physical illness that would, as certified by a physician, place the woman in danger of death unless an abortion is performed. (Current law prohibits such funds from being used in programs where abortion is a method of family planning.) Excludes hospitals from such provisions as long as the hospital does not subgrant to a non-hospital entity that performs abortions.

Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services to submit to Congress a list of grantees who perform abortions, regardless of how such abortions are funded. Makes such a grantee ineligible for family planning funds for subsequent fiscal years unless the grantee certifies that neither the grantee nor any subgrantee performs abortions that are not explicitly permitted under this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 27, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 27, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S250)
- **Jan 27, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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