

S 2754

Alternative Pluripotent Stem Cell Therapies Enhancement Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: May 5, 2006

Current Status: Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 924 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of S. 2754

Latest Action: Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 924 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of S. 2754 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit. Measure will be considered read. Bill is closed to amendments. (Jul 18, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R · PA		May 5, 2006
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		May 9, 2006
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 11, 2006
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Jul 13, 2006
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R · AL		Jul 18, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Appropriations Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 27, 2006
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Jul 17, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HRES 924	Procedurally related	Jul 27, 2006: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 952, H. Res. 924 is laid on the table.
109 HR 5526	Identical bill	Jul 11, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H5036-5038, H5041-5042)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Alternative Pluripotent Stem Cell Therapies Enhancement Act - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to develop techniques for the isolation, derivation, production, or testing of stem cells that are capable of producing all or almost all of the cell types of the developing body and may result in improved understanding of treatments for diseases and other adverse health conditions, but that are not derived from a human embryo.

Requires the Secretary to: (1) provide guidance concerning the next steps required for additional research; (2) prioritize research with the greatest potential for near-term clinical benefit; and (3) take into account techniques outlined by the President's Council on Bioethics and any other appropriate techniques and research.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 18, 2006:** Considered by Senate. (consideration: CR S7654-7692)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 100 - 0. Record Vote Number: 205.(text: CR S7692)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 100 - 0. Record Vote Number: 205. (text: CR S7692)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Mr. Barton (TX) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5352-5359)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 2754.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5360)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Failed of passage/not agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Failed by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 273 - 154 (Roll no. 380).(text: CR H5352-5353)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Failed by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 273 - 154 (Roll no. 380). (text: CR H5352-5353)
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 18, 2006:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 924 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of S. 2754 with 1 hour of general debate. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit. Measure will be considered read. Bill is closed to amendments.
- **Jul 17, 2006:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent.
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- **Jul 17, 2006:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S7569-7623)
- **Jun 27, 2006:** Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-815.
- **May 5, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 5, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.