

S 309

A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the disposition of unused health benefits in cafeteria plans and flexible spending arrangements.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. DeMint, Jim [R-SC]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Feb 8, 2005
Sen. Salazar, Ken [D-CO]	D · CO		Feb 8, 2005
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Jul 13, 2005
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Sep 14, 2005
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	R · VA		Oct 5, 2005
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Nov 15, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 8, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 1998	Related bill	Apr 28, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to permit up to \$500 of unused health benefits in a plan or other arrangement that provides for a health flexible spending arrangement to be carried forward to the next year of such health flexible spending arrangement or be contributed to a health savings account without affecting the status of such plan or arrangement as a tax-exempt employee benefit cafeteria plan.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 8, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 8, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1119)
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