

# HR 3144

Respect for Life Pluripotent Stem Cell Act of 2005

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Rep. Hayworth, J. D. [R-AZ-5]	$R \cdot AZ$		Sep 2, 2005
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Rep. Kennedy, Mark R. [R-MN-6]	$R \cdot MN$		Apr 4, 2006

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 1, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Health

### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 1557	Related bill	Jul 12, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7366)
109 HR 2574	Related bill	Jun 17, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

#### **Summary** (as of Jun 30, 2005)

Respect for Life Pluripotent Stem Cell Act of 2005 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to provide for the conduct and support of basic and applied research in isolating, deriving, and using pluripotent stems cells without creating or harming human embryos. Provides that such research may include: (1) research in animals to develop and test techniques for deriving cells from embryos without doing harm to embryos; (2) research to develop and test techniques for producing human pluripotent stems cells without creating or making use of embryos; and (3) research to isolate, develop, and test pluripotent stem cells from postnatal tissues, umbilical cord blood, and placenta.

Prohibits research under this Act that: (1) involves the use of human embryos; (2) involves the use of stem cells not otherwise eligible for NIH funds; (3) involves the use of any stem cell to create or to attempt to create a human embryo; or (4) poses a significant risk of creating a human embryo by any means.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Feb 28, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H426-427, H427, H428-432)
- Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Jun 30, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Jun 30, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (text of measure as introduced: CR 7/12/2005 H5730)