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Bipartisan Commission on Medicaid Act of 2005

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Sponsor

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Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 2, 2005
Sen. Bayh, Evan [D-IN]	D · IN		Mar 8, 2005
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 8, 2005
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Mar 8, 2005
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Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 15, 2005
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Mar 15, 2005
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 4, 2005
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT]	D · CT		Apr 4, 2005
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Apr 4, 2005
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 4, 2005
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 11, 2005
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Apr 25, 2005
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Apr 25, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 9, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 985	Identical bill	Mar 14, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Feb 9, 2005)

Bipartisan Commission on Medicaid Act of 2005 - Establishes the Bipartisan Commission on Medicaid to review: (1) each of Medicaid's major functional responsibilities; (2) issues that either threaten or improve the long-term financial condition of Medicaid; (3) Federal and State policies for Medicaid and Medicare enrollment (including enrollment sites), income eligibility, outreach, and documentation; (4) the operation and effectiveness of Medicaid premium assistance programs; and (5) Medicaid payment policies.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 9, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- Feb 9, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1208-1211)
- Feb 9, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.