

## S 3594

Secure Nuclear Facilities Act of 2006

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Jun 28, 2006

**Current Status:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7926-7927)

**Latest Action:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7926-7927) (Jul 19, 2006)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

| Committee  | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Jun 28, 2006 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

Secure Nuclear Facilities Act of 2006 - Authorizes the Secretary of Homeland Security to award competitive grants to any state in which a nuclear power plant is located, and to local governments, local law enforcement agencies, local fire departments, and hospitals that are located within 20 miles of a nuclear power plant.

Requires the use of such funds: (1) to assist in purchasing or improving communication systems to allow for real-time, interoperable communication between state and local first responders and nuclear power plant representatives; or (2) for expenditures to improve the ability of communities to facilitate evacuations and provide medical treatment in the event of an emergency at a nuclear power plant.

Directs the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to promulgate regulations requiring all nuclear power plants to comply with a certain design basis threat level under the Code of Federal Regulations, applicable to facilities designated by the Secretary as Threat Level 1(b) facilities.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 19, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7926-7927)
- **Jun 28, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 28, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6717)
- **Jun 28, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.