

HR 4011

Mercury in Dental Fillings Disclosure and Prohibition Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (20 total)

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Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Oct 6, 2005
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Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Nov 18, 2005
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Nov 18, 2005
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Nov 18, 2005
Rep. Davis, Jo Ann [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Dec 16, 2005
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Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Mar 29, 2006
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Mar 29, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 17, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 6, 2005)

Mercury in Dental Fillings Disclosure and Prohibition Act - Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to deem adulterated (hence prohibited), effective January 1, 2009, any amalgam containing mercury intended for use in a dental filling.

Provides for a transition period, during which such a device may be manufactured and sold if it bears a specified warning label, until this Act becomes effective.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 27, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H9282)
- **Oct 17, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Oct 6, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Oct 6, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.