

HR 5850

Pool and Spa Safety Act

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Policy Area: Commerce

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 1, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 3718	Related bill	Dec 9, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Summary (as of Jul 20, 2006)

Pool and Spa Safety Act - Requires the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) to establish recommended state law standards meeting specified minimum requirements for: (1) enclosure of swimming pools and spas by barriers to prevent unsupervised access by small children; and (2) systems to prevent entrapment of children by pool or spa drains.

Requires the CPSC to establish: (1) a grant program to provide assistance to states in hiring and training government employees in implementing and enforcing state pool safety standards, educating the public about pool and spa safety, and administering safety programs; and (2) a national education program to inform the public of methods to prevent drownings and entrapment in pools and spas.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 1, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
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