

S 1062

William H. Frist Gift of Life Congressional Medal Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

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

Cosponsors (7 total)

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| Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA] | R · IA | | Mar 29, 2007 |
| Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN] | R · TN | | Apr 10, 2007 |
| Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC] | R · NC | | Apr 12, 2007 |
| Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL] | R · AL | | Apr 18, 2007 |
| Sen. Corker, Bob [R-TN] | R · TN | | Apr 25, 2007 |
| Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA] | R · GA | | May 7, 2007 |
| Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH] | D · OH | | Jul 17, 2007 |

Committee Activity

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Related Bills

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| 110 HR 1764 | Related bill | Jun 7, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology. |

William H. Frist Gift of Life Congressional Medal Act - Directs the Secretary of the Treasury to design and strike a bronze medal to commemorate organ donors and their families.

Requires the Secretary of Health and Human Services to direct the entity holding the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network to contract to establish an application procedure and determine eligibility.

Allows the Secretary of Health and Human Services or the Network contractor to provide duplicates of the medal to any recipient.

Allows the Secretary of the Treasury to enter into an agreement with the Network contractor to collect funds to offset expenditures relating to the issuance of medals, which the Secretary shall deposit in the Numismatic Public Enterprise Fund.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 29, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 29, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4203)
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