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Farming Flexibility Act of 2007

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Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 23, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1371	Identical bill	Mar 20, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management.

Summary (as of Apr 23, 2007)

Farming Flexibility Act of 2007 - Amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002, with respect to direct and counter-cyclical payments, to: (1) permit a producer to reduce a covered commodity base acreage by electing to plant such acres with fruits or vegetables for processing; (2) require such election to be made annually; and (3) provide that if a farm's base acreage is recalculated, such fruit or vegetable production shall be considered the same as the planning, prevented planting, or production of the covered commodity.

Actions Timeline

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