# S 1312

Secret Ballot Protection Act of 2007

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| Sen. Warner, John [R-VA] | R · VA | | May 7, 2007 |
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| Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT] | R · UT | | May 21, 2007 |
| Sen. Corker, Bob [R-TN] | R · TN | | Jun 12, 2007 |
| Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS] | R · MS | | Apr 10, 2008 |

## Committee Activity

*No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.*

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Labor and Employment

## Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|---|---|---|
| 110 HR 866 | Related bill | **May 18, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions. |

## Summary (as of May 7, 2007)

Secret Ballot Protection Act of 2007 - Amends the National Labor Relations Act to make it an unfair labor practice for: (1) an employer to recognize or bargain collectively with a labor organization that has not been selected by a majority of the employees in a secret ballot election conducted by the National Labor Relations Board; and (2) a labor organization to cause or attempt to cause an employer to recognize or bargain collectively with a representative that has not been selected in such manner.

## Actions Timeline

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