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S 1352

A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 127 East Locust Street in Fairbury, Illinois, as the "Dr. Francis Townsend Post Office Building".

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commemorations Introduced: May 10, 2007

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Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 110-43. (Jul 3, 2007)

Law: 110-43 (Enacted Jul 3, 2007)

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Sponsor

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

Party: Democratic • State: IL • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	$D\cdotIL$		May 10, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	May 22, 2007
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Markup By	Jun 12, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2300	Identical bill	May 14, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

Summary (as of Jul 2, 2007)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.) Designates the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 127 East Locust Street in Fairbury, Illinois, as the "Dr. Francis Townsend Post Office Building."

Actions Timeline

- Jul 3, 2007: Signed by President.
- Jul 3, 2007: Became Public Law No: 110-43.
- Jun 26, 2007: Presented to President.
- Jun 19, 2007: ORDER OF PROCEDURE Mr. Visclosky asked unanimous consent that the proceedings by which the yeas and nays were ordered on the motion to suspend the rules and pass S. 1352 be vacated to the end that the Chair put the question de novo. Agreed to without objection.
- Jun 19, 2007: Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6669)
- Jun 19, 2007: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR 6/18/2007 H6591)
- Jun 19, 2007: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR 6/18/2007 H6591)
- Jun 19, 2007: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Jun 19, 2007: Cleared for White House.
- Jun 18, 2007: Mr. Davis (IL) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- Jun 18, 2007: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6591-6592)
- Jun 18, 2007: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 1352.
- Jun 18, 2007: At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- Jun 12, 2007: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jun 12, 2007: Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- May 24, 2007: Received in the House.
- May 24, 2007: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- May 24, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.
- May 23, 2007: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S6572-6573; text as passed Senate: CR S6573)
- May 23, 2007: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6572-6573; text as passed Senate: CR S6573)
- May 22, 2007: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Lieberman without amendment. Without written report.
- May 22, 2007: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 161.
- May 21, 2007: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- May 10, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- May 10, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5930-5931)
- May 10, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced in Senate: CR S5931)