

S 1676

A bill to extend eligibility for certain Federal benefits to citizens of the Freely Associated States.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Social Welfare

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jun 21, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D - HI		Jun 21, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 21, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 4000	Identical bill	Nov 9, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Income Security and Family Support.

Summary (as of Jun 21, 2007)

Amends the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to extend to citizens of the Freely Associated States (Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, and Palau) who reside in the United States eligibility for non-emergency food stamps and benefits under titles XIX (Medicaid), XVI (Supplemental Security Income) (SSI) , and part A (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) (TANF) of the Social Security Act.

Actions Timeline

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