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A bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to prohibit dog fighting ventures.

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Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Animals
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Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10409) (Jul 31, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 26, 2007
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	$D \cdot NJ$		Sep 4, 2007
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	$D \cdot IL$		Sep 4, 2007
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE		Sep 12, 2007
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Sep 12, 2007
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	$D \cdot OR$		Sep 12, 2007
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	$D \cdot NY$		Oct 31, 2007
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Nov 7, 2007
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Nov 13, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 26, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 3219	Related bill	Apr 25, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry.

Amends the Animal Welfare Act to make it unlawful to: (1) knowingly sponsor or exhibit an animal in, or knowingly attend, a dog fighting venture; and (2) knowingly sell, buy, possess, train, transport, deliver, or receive for purposes of transportation any dog or other animal for the purposes of having the dog, animal, or offspring of the dog or other animal participate in a dog fighting venture. Provides for imprisonment for up to five years for violations.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 31, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10409)
- Jul 26, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- Jul 26, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.