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A bill to amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to ensure that only producers receive commodity program payments.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)
Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Agriculture and Food
Introduced: Jul 31, 2007
Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.
Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry. (Jul 31, 2007)
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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Salazar, Ken [D-CO]
Party: Democratic • **State:** CO • **Chamber:** Senate

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 31, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 31, 2007)

Amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to require the Secretary of Agriculture to permanently reduce base acres for land that: (1) has been developed for commercial or industrial use; (2) has been subdivided and developed into multiple residential units or other nonfarming uses; or (3) is no longer intended for farm use.

Includes within a producer agreement for direct or counter-cyclical payments prohibitions against the land: (1) being in residential use (including land subdivided and developed into residential units or other nonfarming uses); or (2) no longer being intended for farm use.

Requires: (1) Farm Service Agency certification of an agreement; and (2) annual audits of direct and counter-cyclical payments and base acreage by the Secretary.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 31, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
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