

S 3341

Federal Financial Assistance Management Improvement Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: Jul 26, 2008

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. (Sep 23, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]

Party: Republican • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Jul 26, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 17, 2008
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 23, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Federal Financial Assistance Management Improvement Act of 2008 - Amends the Federal Financial Assistance Management Improvement Act of 1999 (FFAMIA) to repeal its termination date (thus extending it indefinitely).

Requires the Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to establish and maintain a public website that serves as a central point of information and access for federal grant applicants, including grant: (1) announcements; (2) statements of eligibility; (3) application requirements; (4) purposes; (5) federal agency providers; and (6) deadlines for applying and awarding.

Requires the website to allow grant applicants to apply for grants on it, among other uses.

Amends the Act to require OMB to report to Congress on: (1) the implementation of FFAMIA; and (2) a strategic plan specifying federal financial assistance programs suitable for common applications and reporting forms or requirements, changes in law (if any) needed to achieve the goals of this Act, and plans, timeliness, and cost estimates for developing an entirely electronic, web-based process for managing federal financial assistance.

Requires the head of each federal agency that has not been exempted from FFAMIA to develop a plan that describes how it will carry out its responsibilities under the strategic plan.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 23, 2008:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** Received in the House.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.
- **Sep 22, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S9217-9218; text as passed Senate: CR S9217-9218)
- **Sep 22, 2008:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S9217-9218; text as passed Senate: CR S9217-9218)
- **Sep 17, 2008:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Lieberman without amendment. With written report No. 110-468.
- **Sep 17, 2008:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 1027.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jul 26, 2008:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 26, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7526-7527)
- **Jul 26, 2008:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7527-7528)