

S 3527

Veterans Health Care Budget Reform Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Sep 18, 2008

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9038) (Sep 18, 2008)

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Sponsor

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

Party: Democratic • State: HI • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	D · WV		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	D · IL		Sep 25, 2008
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Sep 26, 2008
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Oct 2, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 19, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 6939	Related bill	Sep 18, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Veterans Health Care Budget Reform Act of 2008 - Requires, beginning with FY2010, a two-fiscal-year budget authority for the following accounts of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA): (1) Medical Services; (2) Medical Administration; and (3) Medical Facilities.

Requires the Comptroller General to conduct a study on the adequacy and accuracy of VA baseline model projections for health care expenditures.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 18, 2008:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9037-9038)
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9038)