

HR 3986

John F. Kennedy Center Reauthorization Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Arts, Culture, Religion

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]

Party: Democratic • State: MN • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Oct 29, 2007
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		Oct 29, 2007
Rep. Mica, John L. [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Oct 29, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 4, 2008
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Reported by	Oct 30, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the Senate on June 26, 2008. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

John. F. Kennedy Center Reauthorization Act of 2008 - Amends the John F. Kennedy Center Act to allow the Trustees of the John F. Kennedy for the Performing Arts (the Board) to study, plan, design, engineer, and construct a photovoltaic system for the main roof of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Requires the Board, no later than 60 days before beginning construction of the system, to report on the feasibility and design of such project. Authorizes appropriations for such system.

Authorizes appropriations for FY2008-FY2012 to the Board for: (1) maintenance, repair, and security; and (2) capital projects.

Prohibits anything in this Act from limiting or otherwise affecting the authority or responsibility of the National Capital Planning Commission or the Commission of Fine Arts.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 3, 2008:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 3, 2008:** Became Public Law No: 110-338.
- **Sep 26, 2008:** Presented to President.
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8454)
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Resolving differences -- House actions: On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote.(text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR 9/17/2008 H8341)
- **Sep 18, 2008:** On motion that the House suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by voice vote. (text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR 9/17/2008 H8341)
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 18, 2008:** Cleared for White House.
- **Sep 17, 2008:** Ms. Johnson, E. B. moved that the House suspend the rules an agree to the Senate amendment. (consideration: CR H8341-8343)
- **Sep 17, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3986.
- **Sep 17, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Mr. Graves objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was withdrawn.
- **Jun 27, 2008:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jun 27, 2008:** By Senator Boxer from Committee on Environment and Public Works filed written report. Report No. 110-406.
- **Jun 26, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S6302-6303)
- **Jun 26, 2008:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6302-6303)
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Reported by Senator Boxer with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 765.
- **May 21, 2008:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Dec 12, 2007:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
- **Dec 11, 2007:** Mr. Oberstar moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Dec 11, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H15255-15256)
- **Dec 11, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3986.
- **Dec 11, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H15255)
- **Dec 11, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H15255)
- **Dec 11, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 10, 2007:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation. H. Rept. 110-480.
- **Dec 10, 2007:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 296.
- **Oct 31, 2007:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Oct 31, 2007:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Oct 30, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Oct 30, 2007:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Oct 30, 2007:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **Oct 29, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 29, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.