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Positive Alternatives Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 20, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 19, 2007)

Positive Alternatives Act - Amends part A (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) (TANF) of title IV of the Social Security Act to allow the use of TANF funds for alternative-to-abortion services, including: (1) information or counseling that promotes childbirth instead of abortion; and (2) other services designed to assist a woman to carry her unborn child to term.

Actions Timeline

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