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S 678

Airline Passenger Bill of Rights Act of 2007

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Feb 17, 2007

Current Status: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 110-

1207

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Feb 17, 2007
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D·LA		Feb 28, 2007
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 28, 2007
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Mar 20, 2007
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		May 7, 2007
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		Jul 19, 2007
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Apr 1, 2008
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Apr 1, 2008
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 15, 2008
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	$D\cdotIL$		Apr 23, 2008
Sen. Webb, Jim [D-VA]	$D\cdotVA$		Apr 28, 2008
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 22, 2008
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jul 9, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Apr 11, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1303	Text similarities	Mar 2, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.

Summary (as of Feb 17, 2007)

Airline Passenger Bill of Rights Act of 2007 - Requires each air carrier, in the case of a delayed departure, to provide passengers with: (1) adequate food, potable water, and restroom facilities; and (2) an option to deplane, with exceptions, if more than three hours have elapsed, and during any subsequent three-hour periods of delay.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 11, 2007: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 110-1207.
- Feb 17, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- Feb 17, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2204-2205)
- Feb 17, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.