

S 909

A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit States, at their option, to require certain individuals to present satisfactory documentary evidence of proof of citizenship or nationality for purposes of eligibility for Medicaid, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Mar 15, 2007

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3216)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 15, 2007
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 15, 2007
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 15, 2007
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 23, 2007
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Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Mar 23, 2007
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jun 14, 2007
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Jun 14, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 15, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1878	Identical bill	Apr 18, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Mar 15, 2007)

Amends title XIX (Medicaid) of the Social Security Act to permit states, at their option, to require certain individuals to present satisfactory documentary evidence of citizenship or nationality for Medicaid eligibility.

Revises the rules for children born in the United States to mothers eligible for Medicaid. Declares that a Medicaid-eligible individual shall be deemed to have provided satisfactory documentary evidence of citizenship or nationality, and shall not be required to provide further evidence, on any date during or after the period in which the individual is eligible for Medicaid.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 15, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 15, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3215-3216)
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