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International Documentary Exchange Act of 2009

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 3503	Related bill	Jun 17, 2010: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
111 S 3138	Related bill	Mar 18, 2010: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
111 HR 2410	Related bill	Jun 22, 2009: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Summary

(as of Apr 2, 2009)

International Documentary Exchange Act of 2009 - Authorizes the Secretary of State to make grants to U.S. nongovernmental organizations that use independently produced documentary films to promote a better understanding of the United States among individuals abroad and, in the United States, a better understanding of global perspectives and of other countries.

Actions Timeline

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