

## SRES 231

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that any health care reform proposal should slow the long-term growth of health costs and reduce the growth rate of Federal health care spending.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Jul 30, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8566-8567)

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8566-8567) (Jul 30, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-resolution/231>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Bennett, Robert F. [R-UT]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	R · OK		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Johanns, Mike [R-NE]	R · NE		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Sep 9, 2009

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 30, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Health

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jul 30, 2009)

Expresses the sense of the Senate that any health care reform proposal should: (1) reduce total spending on health care in the United States during the next decade to below current projections by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; and (2) reduce the growth rate of federal health care spending.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 30, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 30, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8567)
- **Jul 30, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8566-8567)