

## S 2872

A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Historical Publications and Records Commission through fiscal year 2014, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Dec 11, 2009

**Current Status:** Held at the desk.

**Latest Action:** Held at the desk. (Jul 13, 2010)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]

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

### Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Dec 11, 2009
Sen. Byrd, Robert C. [D-WV]	D · WV		Dec 11, 2009
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Dec 11, 2009
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	R · OH		Dec 11, 2009
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Dec 11, 2009
Sen. Webb, Jim [D-VA]	D · VA		Dec 11, 2009

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 21, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5616	Related bill	Jul 1, 2010: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
111 HR 1556	Related bill	May 4, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Information Policy, Census, and National Archives.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on June 21, 2010. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Authorizes appropriations for the National Historical Publications and Records Commission for FY2010-FY2014.

Amends the Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2000 with respect to the Federal National and Regional Records Center Revolving Fund.

Increases from 4% to 10% the maximum amount of the Fund's total income that may be retained as an operating reserve or for the replacement or acquisition of capital equipment and other support systems of the National Archives and Records Administration.

Increases from 4% to 10% the threshold amount in excess of which any amounts remaining in the Fund at the close of each fiscal year that must be returned to the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

Amends the Presidential Historical Records Preservation Act of 2008 to shift from the Commission to the Archivist the authority to make grants for establishment of state and local databases for records of servitude, emancipation, and post-civil war reconstruction. Requires the Archivist to consider Commission advice and recommendations before making such a grant.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 13, 2010:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 13, 2010:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 13, 2010:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 12, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5750; text as passed Senate: CR S5750)
- **Jul 12, 2010:** Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5750; text as passed Senate: CR S5750)
- **Jun 21, 2010:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Lieberman with amendments. With written report No. 111-213.
- **Jun 21, 2010:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 438.
- **Dec 16, 2009:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported with amendments favorably.
- **Dec 11, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Dec 11, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S13034-13035)
- **Dec 11, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13035)