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South Atlantic Red Snapper Fishery Protection Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Feb 25, 2010)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 25, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 4723	Related bill	Mar 5, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Insular Affairs, Oceans and Wildlife.
111 S 3045	Related bill	Feb 25, 2010: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
111 HR 3307	Related bill	Jul 27, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Insular Affairs, Oceans and Wildlife.

Summary (as of Feb 25, 2010)

South Atlantic Red Snapper Fishery Protection Act - Directs the Secretary of Commerce to conduct a benchmark stock assessment of the South Atlantic red snapper fishery and report to Congress.

Prohibits the Secretary from promulgating any interim rule under specified provisions of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act that prohibits fishing in the South Atlantic red snapper fishery before such report demonstrates the need for interim or final rules.

Prohibits any interim rule that was promulgated before enactment of this Act from having any force or effect.

Actions Timeline

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