

S 3397

Secure and Responsible Drug Disposal Act of 2010

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Law: 111-273 (Enacted Oct 12, 2010)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		May 24, 2010
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		May 24, 2010
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		May 24, 2010
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jun 21, 2010
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 12, 2010
Sen. Corker, Bob [R-TN]	R · TN		Jul 14, 2010
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Jul 22, 2010
Sen. Kohl, Herb [D-WI]	D · WI		Jul 29, 2010
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Aug 2, 2010
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Aug 3, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 10, 2010
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 29, 2010
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Aug 10, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 1292	Related bill	Jun 18, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
111 HR 1359	Related bill	Apr 27, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Summary (as of Oct 12, 2010)

(This measure has not been amended since it passed by the House on September 29, 2010. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Secure and Responsible Drug Disposal Act of 2010 - Amends the Controlled Substances Act to allow an ultimate user of a controlled substance (or, if deceased, any person lawfully entitled to dispose of the ultimate user's property) who has lawfully obtained such substance to deliver that substance to another person, without being registered, for disposal if: (1) the person receiving the controlled substance is authorized to engage in such activity; and (2) the disposal takes place in accordance with regulations issued by the Attorney General to prevent diversion of controlled substances.

Requires the Attorney General, in developing regulations under this Act, to consider the public health and safety, as well as the ease and cost of program implementation and participation by various communities.

Permits the Attorney General to authorize long-term care facilities to dispose of controlled substances on behalf of ultimate users who reside, or have resided, at such facilities in a manner that will provide effective controls against diversion and that is consistent with public health and safety.

Directs the United States Sentencing Commission to review and, if appropriate, amend its guidelines and policy statements to ensure an appropriate penalty increase for persons convicted of a drug offense involving receipt of a controlled substance for disposal.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 12, 2010:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 12, 2010:** Became Public Law No: 111-273.
- **Sep 30, 2010:** Presented to President.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Mr. Inslee moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7316-7318)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 3397.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7316)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7316)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Message on House action received in Senate and at desk: House amendment to Senate bill.
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Resolving differences -- Senate actions: Senate concurred in House Amendment to Senate bill by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S7770; text as Senate agreed to House amendment in Senate: CR S7770)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Senate concurred in House Amendment to Senate bill by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S7770; text as Senate agreed to House amendment in Senate: CR S7770)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Cleared for White House.
- **Aug 9, 2010:** Received in the House.
- **Aug 9, 2010:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Aug 9, 2010:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Aug 9, 2010:** Referred to House Judiciary
- **Aug 4, 2010:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Aug 3, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S6666-6667; text as passed Senate: CR S6666-6667)
- **Aug 3, 2010:** Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6666-6667; text as passed Senate: CR S6666-6667)
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Leahy with amendments. Without written report.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 495.
- **May 24, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 24, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.