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OPEN FOIA Act of 2009

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 17, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 17, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 17, 2009)

OPEN FOIA Act of 2009 - Amends the Freedom of Information Act to require statutory exemptions to its disclosure requirements to specifically cite its provision that authorizes such exemptions.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 17, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 17, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3175)
- **Mar 17, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3175-3176)