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National Criminal Justice Commission Act of 2010

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Sen. Hagan, Kay R. [D-NC]	D · NC		Mar 30, 2009
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Sen. Udall, Mark [D-CO]	D · CO		Apr 20, 2009
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Apr 23, 2009
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Apr 28, 2009
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		Apr 29, 2009
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 4, 2009
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 11, 2009
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Jun 22, 2009
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Jul 13, 2009
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Jul 15, 2009
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Jul 30, 2009
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Aug 6, 2009
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Sep 8, 2009
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Sep 8, 2009
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jan 25, 2010
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 18, 2010
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Jun 22, 2010
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	May 6, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5143	Related bill	Aug 5, 2010: Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 514.

Summary (as of May 6, 2010)

National Criminal Justice Commission Act of 2010 - Establishes the National Criminal Justice Commission to undertake a comprehensive review of all areas of the criminal justice system, including federal, state, local, and tribal governments' criminal justice costs, practices, and policies.

Directs the Commission to: (1) make findings regarding its review and recommendations for changes in oversight, policies, practices, and laws designed to prevent, deter, and reduce crime and violence, improve cost-effectiveness, and ensure the interests of justice; (2) conduct public hearings in various locations around the United States; (3) consult with federal, state, local, and tribal government and nongovernmental leaders and other stakeholders in the criminal justice system, including the U.S. Sentencing Commission; and (4) submit a final report, within 18 months after its formation, to Congress, the President, and state, local, and tribal governments, and make such report available to the public.

Expresses the sense of Congress that the Commission should work toward unanimously supported findings and recommendations.

Sets forth the membership composition of the Commission and its administrative provisions.

Exempts the Commission from the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

Requires all records and papers of the Commission to be deposited into the National Archives.

Authorizes appropriations for FY2010-2011.

Terminates the Commission 60 days after it submits its final report to Congress.

Actions Timeline

- **May 6, 2010:** Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Leahy with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **May 6, 2010:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 369.
- **Jan 21, 2010:** Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Mar 26, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 26, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3900-3902, S3903-3904)
- **Mar 26, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.