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Prevention of Equine Cruelty Act of 2009

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (28 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Byrd, Robert C. [D-WV]	D · WV		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Mar 26, 2009
Sen. Burris, Roland [D-IL]	D · IL		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Apr 21, 2009
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		Jun 1, 2009
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 14, 2009
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Aug 4, 2009
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 8, 2009
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Sep 8, 2009
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Sep 8, 2009
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Sep 23, 2009
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 29, 2009
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Oct 15, 2009
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Nov 16, 2009
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Nov 18, 2009
Sen. Kirk, Paul Grattan, Jr. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 4, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 26, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 503	Identical bill	Mar 16, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Prevention of Equine Cruelty Act of 2009 - Amends the federal criminal code to impose a fine and/or prison term of up to three years for possessing, shipping, transporting, purchasing, selling, delivering, or receiving any horse, horse flesh, or carcass with the intent that it be used for human consumption. Reduces the prison term to one year if the offense involves less than five horses or less than 2,000 pounds of horse flesh or carcass and the offender has no prior conviction for this offense.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 26, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 26, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3925-3926)
- **Mar 26, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3926)