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Permanent Marriage Penalty Relief Act of 2011

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Jan 25, 2011

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S130)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S130) (Jan 25, 2011)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]

Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 25, 2011
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Jan 25, 2011
Sen. Johanns, Mike [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 25, 2011
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Jan 25, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 25, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 25, 2011)

Permanent Marriage Penalty Relief Act of 2011 - Renders inapplicable the general terminating date (i.e., December 31, 2012) of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 to provisions of that Act that eliminate the tax effect known as the marriage penalty in the standard tax deduction, the 15% income tax bracket, and the earned income tax credit.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 25, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 25, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S130)
- **Jan 25, 2011:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S130)