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Parental Bereavement Act of 2011

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Jul 13, 2011

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Jul 13, 2011)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Oct 11, 2011
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Oct 12, 2011
Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO]	D · MO		Oct 12, 2011
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Oct 31, 2011
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		Dec 1, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 13, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 6673	Related bill	Dec 17, 2012: Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and House Administration, 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.

Summary (as of Jul 13, 2011)

Parental Bereavement Act of 2011 - Amends the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to entitle an eligible employee to up to 12 workweeks of leave during any 12-month period because of the death of a son or daughter.

Allows such an employee to substitute any available paid leave for any leave without pay.

Applies the same leave entitlement to federal employees.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 13, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
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