

## S 149

FISA Sunsets Extension Act of 2011

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Jan 25, 2011

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Jan 25, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/senate-bill/149>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Judiciary Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Jan 25, 2011 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action   |
|-------------|----------------|---|
| 112 S 1114  | Related bill   | <b>May 26, 2011:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.   |
| 112 S 1038  | Related bill   | <b>May 24, 2011:</b> Motion to proceed to consideration of measure tabled in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 74 - 13. Record Vote Number: 76. |
| 112 HR 1800 | Related bill   | <b>May 18, 2011:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 40.   |
| 112 S 289   | Identical bill | <b>Feb 4, 2011:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 7.                 |

## Summary (as of Jan 25, 2011)

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FISA Sunsets Extension Act of 2011 - Amends the USA PATRIOT Improvement and Reauthorization Act of 2005 to extend through December 31, 2013, a provision granting roving electronic surveillance authority.

Amends the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 to extend until December 31, 2013, a provision revising the definition of an "agent of a foreign power" to include any non-U.S. person who engages in international terrorism or preparatory activities ("lone wolf" provision).

Amends the FISA Amendments Act of 2008 to extend through December 31, 2013, certain additional procedures concerning the electronic surveillance of certain persons outside the United States for foreign intelligence information purposes.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 25, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 25, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S223-224)
- **Jan 25, 2011:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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