

S 3190

Synthetic Drug Abuse Prevention Act of 2012

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 16, 2012)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 16, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 3189	Related bill	May 16, 2012: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
112 HR 1254	Related bill	Dec 8, 2011: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
112 S 605	Related bill	Jul 29, 2011: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 122.

Summary (as of May 16, 2012)

Synthetic Drug Abuse Prevention Act of 2012- Amends the Controlled Substances Act to add as schedule I controlled substances: (1) any material, compound, mixture, or preparation which contains specified cannabimimetic agents (or the salts, isomers, or salts of isomers thereof); and (2) specified additional hallucinogenic substances (or the salts, isomers, or salts of isomers thereof).

Extends the period for which the Attorney General may temporarily schedule a substance in schedule I to avoid an imminent hazard to public safety to two years with a one-year extension (currently, one year with a six-month extension).

Actions Timeline

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