

HR 5646

Homeland Security Respect for Life Act

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Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 11, 2012
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 18, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 8, 2012)

Homeland Security Respect for Life Act - Prohibits funds appropriated for the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) from being used to: (1) pay for an abortion, except in a case where a pregnant detainee suffers from a physical disorder, injury, or illness that would place the detainee in danger of death unless an abortion is performed, including a life-endangering physical condition caused by, or arising from, pregnancy itself, or in a case of rape; or (2) require any person to perform, or facilitate in any way the performance of, any abortion.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **May 11, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 8, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **May 8, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.