

## S 1207

### Cameras in the Courtroom Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Law

**Introduced:** Jun 20, 2013

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4795)

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(Jun 20, 2013)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 20, 2013
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jun 20, 2013
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Jun 20, 2013
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jun 20, 2013

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 20, 2013

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Law

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 96	Identical bill	<b>Jan 25, 2013:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, And The Internet.

### Summary (as of Jun 20, 2013)

Cameras in the Courtroom Act - Requires the Supreme Court to permit television coverage of all open sessions of the Court unless it decides by majority vote that allowing such coverage in a particular case would violate the due process rights of any of the parties involved.

### Actions Timeline

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