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Restoring Access to Medication Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Nov 5, 2013)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 5, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 1248	Related bill	Apr 9, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
113 S 610	Related bill	Mar 19, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Nov 5, 2013)

Restoring Access to Medication Act - Repeals provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act that restrict payments from health savings accounts, medical savings accounts, and health flexible spending arrangements for medications to prescription drugs and insulin only (thus allowing payments for over-the-counter medications).

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 5, 2013:** Introduced in Senate
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