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Nicholas and Zachary Burt Memorial Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act of 2013

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Sponsor

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Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Dec 10, 2013
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Dec 10, 2013
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 12, 2014
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Apr 7, 2014
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 9, 2014
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		May 13, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 12, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 4864	Related bill	Jun 13, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade.

Nicholas and Zachary Burt Memorial Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act of 2013 - Directs the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) to establish a grant program to provide assistance to states that require compliant carbon monoxide alarms to be installed in dwelling units.

Defines "compliant carbon monoxide alarm" as an alarm that complies with the American National Standard for Single and Multiple Station Carbon Monoxide Alarms as well as the American National Standard for Gas and Vapor Detectors and Sensors.

Directs the CPSC, in selecting grant recipients, to give favorable consideration to states that: (1) require compliant alarms in specified facilities with fuel-burning appliances or attached garages, including educational facilities, childcare facilities, health care facilities, adult dependent care facilities, government buildings, restaurants, theaters, lodging establishments, or dwelling units; and (2) have strategies to protect vulnerable populations such as children, the elderly, or low-income households.

Permits states receiving grants to use such funds to: (1) purchase and install such alarms in dwelling units of low-income families or elderly persons, childcare facilities, public schools, senior centers, or student dwelling units owned by public universities; (2) train state or local fire code enforcement officials regarding compliance and installation; and (3) educate the public about the risk of carbon monoxide poisoning.

Authorizes appropriations for FY2015-FY2019 to carry out this Act.

Requires the CPSC to submit reports to Congress regarding the implementation of the grant program.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 12, 2014:** Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Reported by Senator Rockefeller with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 113-269.
- **Nov 12, 2014:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 583.
- **Apr 9, 2014:** Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Dec 10, 2013:** Introduced in Senate
- **Dec 10, 2013:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.