

S 248

A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require labeling of genetically engineered fish.

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

Introduced: Feb 7, 2013

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Feb 7, 2013)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Feb 7, 2013
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Mar 22, 2013

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 7, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 584	Related bill	Feb 8, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Feb 7, 2013)

Amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to deem a food to be misbranded if it contains genetically-engineered fish unless the food bears a label stating that fact.

Actions Timeline

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