

## S 2908

### Affordable Health Insurance for the Middle Class Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Sep 18, 2014

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sep 18, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/senate-bill/2908>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 19, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary

(as of Sep 18, 2014)

Affordable Health Insurance for the Middle Class Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) expand eligibility for the health care premium assistance refundable tax credit by defining an "applicable taxpayer" as a taxpayer whose household income does not exceed 600% of the federal poverty line (currently, 400%), and (2) increase the excise tax rate for small cigars and small cigarettes.

### Actions Timeline

- **Sep 18, 2014:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 18, 2014:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5795-5796)
- **Sep 18, 2014:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.