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SMASH Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Independent • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Jun 9, 2016
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Jun 9, 2016
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jun 15, 2016
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jun 23, 2016
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Jun 27, 2016
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jul 6, 2016
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Jul 7, 2016
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Sep 8, 2016
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 28, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 9, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5492	Identical bill	Jun 15, 2016: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
114 HR 5463	Identical bill	Jun 13, 2016: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Strengthening Mosquito Abatement for Safety and Health Act or the SMASH Act

This bill amends the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend through FY2021 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) grants for mosquito control programs. The grant program is expanded so that grants may be used to address emerging, infectious mosquito-borne diseases and to improve existing control programs. The CDC must give preference to applicants that have: (1) a public health emergency due to a mosquito-borne disease, or (2) a control program that is consistent with existing state preparedness plans. The requirement for matching funds may be waived if the area covered by a grant applicant has an extreme need due to the size or density of the human population, the size or density of the mosquito population, or the severity of the mosquito-borne disease.

Actions Timeline

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