

## S 614

### Federal Improper Payments Coordination Act of 2015

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 27, 2015

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 114-109.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 114-109. (Dec 18, 2015)

**Law:** 114-109 (Enacted Dec 18, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/614>

#### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]

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

#### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Feb 27, 2015
Sen. Ayotte, Kelly [R-NH]	R · NH		Mar 24, 2015

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 21, 2015

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

##### **Policy Area:**

Government Operations and Politics

#### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 2320	Related bill	Oct 20, 2015: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 228.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the Senate on July 28, 2015. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

### **Federal Improper Payments Coordination Act of 2015**

(Sec. 2) Amends the Improper Payments Elimination and Recovery Improvement Act of 2012 to extend the availability of the Do Not Pay Initiative to states, any contractor, subcontractor, or agent of a state, and the judicial and legislative branches of the United States. Authorizes the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to issue guidance for establishing privacy and other requirements for incorporation into Do Not Pay Initiative access agreements with states and judicial and legislative branches.

(Sec. 3) Modifies such Act to require each federal agency to review the death records maintained by the Social Security Administration (SSA) (currently, the Death Master File of SSA).

Directs the Departments of Defense and State to establish a procedure for submitting information on the deaths of individuals to federal agencies promptly and on a regular basis.

Requires the OMB and the heads of other relevant governmental entities to issue guidance on the implementation of the Do Not Pay Initiative to the Department of the Treasury and each agency and component of an agency: (1) that operates or maintains a database of information; or (2) for which the OMB determines improved data matching would be relevant, necessary, or beneficial.

(Sec. 4) Directs Treasury to submit a report to Congress that describes: (1) data analytics performed as part of the Do Not Pay Business Center operated by Treasury, (2) metrics used in determining whether analytic and investigatory efforts have reduced improper payments or awards, and (3) the target dates for implementing the data analytics operations.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 18, 2015:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 18, 2015:** Became Public Law No: 114-109.
- **Dec 9, 2015:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 7, 2015:** Mr. Mulvaney moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Dec 7, 2015:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H9018-9021)
- **Dec 7, 2015:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 614.
- **Dec 7, 2015:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H9018-9019)
- **Dec 7, 2015:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H9018-9019)
- **Dec 7, 2015:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 29, 2015:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 29, 2015:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 29, 2015:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 28, 2015:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S6084-6085)
- **Jul 28, 2015:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jul 28, 2015:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jul 21, 2015:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Johnson without amendment. With written report No. 114-86.
- **Jul 21, 2015:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 156.
- **Mar 4, 2015:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Feb 27, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 27, 2015:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.