

S 860

Death Tax Repeal Act of 2015

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Mar 25, 2015)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]

Party: Republican • **State:** SD • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (40 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Ayotte, Kelly [R-NH]	R · NH		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Coats, Daniel [R-IN]	R · IN		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Gardner, Cory [R-CO]	R · CO		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL]	R · IL		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. McConnell, Mitch [R-KY]	R · KY		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Mar 25, 2015
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Apr 14, 2015
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Apr 15, 2015
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Apr 15, 2015
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Apr 20, 2015
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Apr 20, 2015
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Apr 27, 2015
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Apr 30, 2015
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		May 5, 2015
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		May 12, 2015
Sen. Shelby, Richard C. [R-AL]	R · AL		May 13, 2015
Sen. Paul, Rand [R-KY]	R · KY		Jun 3, 2015
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Apr 7, 2016
Sen. Perdue, David [R-GA]	R · GA		May 25, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 25, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3291	Related bill	Sep 7, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 HR 4936	Related bill	May 17, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
114 HR 1105	Identical bill	Apr 20, 2015: Received in the Senate.

Summary (as of Mar 25, 2015)

Death Tax Repeal Act of 2015

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) repeal the estate and generation-skipping transfer taxes, and (2) make permanent the maximum 35% gift tax rate and the lifetime gift tax exemption. Provides for an inflation adjustment to such exemption amount.

Actions Timeline

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