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Safe Transport for Horses Act

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

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114 S 850	Related bill	Mar 24, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
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Safe Transport for Horses Act

Prohibits a person from transporting a horse in interstate commerce in a motor vehicle (except a vehicle operated exclusively on rail or rails) containing two or more levels stacked on top of one another. Prescribes civil penalties for persons who knowingly violate such prohibition.

Actions Timeline

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