

S 1249

Florida Federal Judicial Relief Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Law

Introduced: May 25, 2017

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 25, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL] | D · FL | | May 25, 2017 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Judiciary Committee | Senate | Referred To | May 25, 2017 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 25, 2017)

Florida Federal Judicial Relief Act

This bill requires the President, with the Senate's advice and consent, to appoint:

- six additional district judges for the middle district of Florida;
- one additional district judge for the northern district of Florida; and
- three additional district judges for the southern district of Florida.

The bill also converts a temporary judge for the southern district of Florida into a permanent judge.

Actions Timeline

- **May 25, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 25, 2017:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.