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Combat Sexual Harassment in Housing Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Jul 20, 2017
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 20, 2017
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jul 20, 2017
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jul 27, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 20, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 3745	Identical bill	Sep 27, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

Summary (as of Jul 20, 2017)

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This bill amends the Fair Housing Act to specify that the following unwelcome conduct in or around a dwelling shall be considered sufficiently severe or pervasive as to constitute a discriminatory housing practice: (1) unwelcome touching of a sexual nature or groping; or (2) any other unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature that is intended to be coercive, threatening, or intimidating.

Actions Timeline

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