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### Medicare Drug Price Negotiation Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Health

**Introduced:** Oct 25, 2017

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Oct 25, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/2011>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]

**Party:** Independent • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Oct 25, 2017
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Oct 31, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 25, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Health

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 4138	Identical bill	Oct 27, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

## **Medicare Drug Price Negotiation Act**

This bill makes a series of changes relating to the prices of prescription drugs under the Medicare prescription drug benefit and Medicare Advantage prescription drug plans, including requirements relating to rebates for low-income individuals and drug price negotiations.

### **Actions Timeline**

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