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American Family Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Oct 26, 2017
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Nov 26, 2018
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Dec 6, 2018
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Dec 10, 2018
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 10, 2018
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Dec 12, 2018
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Dec 17, 2018
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 19, 2018
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Dec 19, 2018
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Dec 21, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code, with respect to the child tax credit, to: (1) make the credit fully refundable, (2) increase the amount of the credit and allow an additional credit for children who are under six years of age, (3) require the amount of the credit to be adjusted annually for inflation after 2017, and (4) require the Department of the Treasury to establish a program for making advance payments of the credit on a monthly basis.

Actions Timeline

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