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Death Tax Repeal Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]

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

Cosponsors (37 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Gardner, Cory [R-CO]	R · CO		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. McConnell, Mitch [R-KY]	R · KY		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Shelby, Richard C. [R-AL]	R · AL		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Perdue, David [R-GA]	R · GA		Jan 30, 2017
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 30, 2017
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 30, 2017
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Jan 30, 2017
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Mar 14, 2017
Sen. Strange, Luther [R-AL]	R · AL		Mar 14, 2017
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Mar 15, 2017
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Apr 4, 2017
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Apr 24, 2017
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Jul 17, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 24, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5422	Related bill	Mar 29, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
115 HR 631	Related bill	Jan 24, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
115 HR 30	Related bill	Jan 3, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
115 HR 198	Related bill	Jan 3, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Jan 24, 2017)

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) repeal the estate and generation-skipping transfer taxes, and (2) make permanent the maximum 35% gift tax rate and the lifetime gift tax exemption. The bill also provides for an inflation adjustment to such exemption amount.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 24, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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