

S 2690

A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permit review of certain Medicare payment determinations for disproportionate share hospitals, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Apr 17, 2018)

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Sponsor

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

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Apr 17, 2018
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 17, 2018
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 17, 2018
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Aug 20, 2018
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Dec 13, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 17, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5985	Identical bill	Jun 7, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Summary (as of Apr 17, 2018)

This bill allows administrative or judicial review of additional Medicare disproportionate share hospital (DSH) payment determinations for acute care hospitals known as subsection (d) hospitals. Under current law, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services must make DSH payments to qualifying hospitals that treat a disproportionate share of low-income patients.

Actions Timeline

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