

## S 2919

### Executive Branch Comprehensive Ethics Enforcement Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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#### Sponsor

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#### Cosponsors (7 total)

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Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		May 22, 2018
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		May 22, 2018
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		May 22, 2018
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 22, 2018
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		May 22, 2018
Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM]	D · NM		May 22, 2018
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		May 22, 2018

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 22, 2018

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

#### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5902	Related bill	Jul 24, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

## **Executive Branch Comprehensive Ethics Enforcement Act**

This bill expands the duties and authorities of the Office of Government Ethics (OGE).

Among other things, the bill authorizes the OGE to do the following:

- issue subpoenas during investigations; and
- order corrective actions (e.g., divestiture) and issue administrative remedies (e.g., suspension or demotion).

## **Actions Timeline**

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