

## S 3461

### AMBER Alert Nationwide Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Sep 18, 2018

**Current Status:** Held at the desk.

**Latest Action:** Held at the desk. (Dec 19, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/3461>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]

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

## Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Sep 18, 2018

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 13, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6350	Related bill	Jul 13, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.

## Summary (as of Sep 18, 2018)

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This bill makes several modifications to the AMBER Alert grant program, including to make all U.S. territories eligible for grants.

Additionally, the bill reauthorizes through FY2022 AMBER Alert grants for notification and communication systems along highways.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 19, 2018:** Received in the House.
- **Dec 19, 2018:** Held at the desk.
- **Dec 17, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S7624-7625)
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S7624-7625)
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S7624-7625)
- **Sep 18, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 18, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.