

## S 3573

### Protect our Elections Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (Oct 11, 2018)

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 11, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3572	Related bill	<b>Oct 11, 2018:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

### Summary (as of Oct 11, 2018)

#### Protect our Elections Act

This bill requires each state to annually certify that each entity that provides services related to any component of the state's election system meets certain criteria related to (1) the entity's ownership, and (2) compliance with cybersecurity best practices and incidence reporting requirements.

### Actions Timeline

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