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Bankruptcy Judgeship Act of 2017

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Mar 15, 2017
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Mar 15, 2017
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Mar 15, 2017
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Apr 24, 2017
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Apr 25, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 15, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 2266	Related bill	Oct 26, 2017: Became Public Law No: 115-72.
115 S 1107	Related bill	Sep 6, 2017: Held at the desk.
115 HR 136	Identical bill	Jan 23, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law.

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This bill amends the federal judicial code to:

- convert certain temporary bankruptcy judges to permanent bankruptcy judges and authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges in Delaware and Michigan;
- convert temporary bankruptcy judges to permanent bankruptcy judges in specified judicial districts in Florida, Maryland, Nevada, North Carolina, Puerto Rico, Tennessee, and Virginia; and
- authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges in the middle district of Florida.

Actions Timeline

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