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John Stringer Rainey SAFE Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (22 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM]	D · NM		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Dec 2, 2020
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Dec 16, 2020
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Dec 17, 2020
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Dec 19, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 27, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 27, 2019)

John Stringer Rainey Safeguard American Food Exports Act or the John Stringer Rainey SAFE Act

This bill prohibits the knowing sale or transport of horses for purposes of human consumption.

Specifically, the bill makes it unlawful to knowingly possess, ship, transport, purchase, sell, deliver, or receive a horse for it to be slaughtered for human consumption.

It also makes it unlawful to knowingly possess, ship, transport, purchase, sell, deliver, or receive horse flesh, carcass, or part of a carcass for it to be used for human consumption.

Violators are subject to criminal penalties.

Actions Timeline

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