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Rural Jobs Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]

Party: Republican • State: MS • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Jun 27, 2019
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Jul 18, 2019
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Oct 22, 2019
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Oct 22, 2019
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Oct 22, 2019

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3538	Identical bill	Jun 27, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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This bill allocates an additional \$500 million in 2019 and 2020 for new markets tax credit investments in the Rural Jobs Zone (an area comprised of low-income communities with populations not greater than 50,000 that are not adjacent to an urbanized area). The bill also requires that not less than 25% of such investments be made in areas that are persistent poverty counties, high migration rural counties, or both.

Actions Timeline

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