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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]

Party: Republican • State: PA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Jul 25, 2019
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jul 25, 2019
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Jul 25, 2019
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Jul 25, 2019
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Oct 22, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 25, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3980	Identical bill	Aug 28, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

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This bill modifies procedures with respect to capital sentencing hearings.

If a jury at a capital sentencing hearing does not reach a unanimous recommendation on the defendant's sentence, then the court must order a new special sentencing hearing and impanel a new jury. If the new jury at the special sentencing hearing does not reach a unanimous recommendation on the defendant's sentence, then the court is prohibited from imposing a death sentence.

Actions Timeline

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