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Sponsor

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Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Jan 31, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jan 31, 2019
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 31, 2019
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Jan 31, 2019

Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1122	Related bill	Mar 12, 2019: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
116 HJRES 31	Related bill	Feb 15, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-6.
116 HR 648	Related bill	Jan 28, 2019: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 16.

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This bill authorizes the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to implement a mobility demonstration program to enable public housing agencies (PHAs) to administer housing-choice rental-assistance vouchers in a manner designed to (1) encourage low-income families receiving such assistance to move to lower-poverty areas, and (2) expand access to opportunity areas.

HUD shall require PHAs applying to participate in the program to submit a specified Regional Housing Mobility Plan.

Actions Timeline

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