

S 3172

Black Lung Benefits Disability Trust Fund Solvency Act of 2020

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Jan 9, 2020

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 9, 2020)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/3172>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Manchin, Joe, III [D-WV]

Party: Independent • **State:** WV • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jan 9, 2020
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jan 9, 2020
Sen. Jones, Doug [D-AL]	D · AL		Jan 9, 2020
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Jan 9, 2020
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Jan 9, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 9, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3876	Related bill	Jul 23, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Jan 9, 2020)

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This bill extends until December 31, 2030, the excise tax on coal from U.S. mines. This tax is a source of funding for the Black Lung Disability Trust Fund.

Actions Timeline

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