

S 3259

Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act

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Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE]	R · NE		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Feb 10, 2020
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Feb 27, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 10, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 5831	Identical bill	Feb 10, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Summary (as of Feb 10, 2020)

Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act

This bill prohibits the use of federal funds for purposes outside the United States related to abortion.

Specifically, the bill prohibits funding to certain foreign or domestic organizations that perform or promote abortions, furnish or develop items intended to procure abortions, or provide financial support for an entity that conducts such activities.

Current U.S. policy prohibits the provision of federal funds to a foreign nongovernmental organization unless it agrees to not perform or actively promote abortions.

Actions Timeline

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