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Recognizing the Role of Direct Support Professionals Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Mar 2, 2020

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Mar 2, 2020)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

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| Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME] | R · ME | | Mar 2, 2020 |
| Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY] | D · NY | | Mar 2, 2020 |
| Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA] | D · PA | | Aug 4, 2020 |
| Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA] | R · IA | | Aug 4, 2020 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate | Referred To | Mar 2, 2020 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 116 HR 6045 | Identical bill | Mar 2, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. |

Summary (as of Mar 2, 2020)

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This bill requires the Office of Management and Budget to establish a separate category within the Standard Occupational Classification system for direct support professionals (i.e., individuals who provide services to promote independence in individuals with a disability) for data reporting purposes.

Actions Timeline

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