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Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Aug 10, 2020
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Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Sep 8, 2020
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Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Sep 8, 2020
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Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Sep 21, 2020
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Sen. Kelly, Mark [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Dec 17, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 22, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4818	Related bill	Dec 10, 2020: Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-519.
116 HR 7806	Identical bill	Jul 27, 2020: Referred to the House Committee on Small Business.

Save our Stages Act or the SOS Act

This bill authorizes the Small Business Administration (SBA) to make grants to eligible live venue operators, producers, promoters, or talent representatives to address the economic effects of the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic on certain live venues.

Specifically, the SBA may make (1) an initial grant of up to \$12 million dollars to an eligible operator, promoter, producer, or talent representative; and (2) a supplemental grant that is equal to 50% of the initial grant. An initial grant must be used for costs incurred between March 1, 2020, and December 31, 2020, but a supplemental grant may be used for expenses incurred through June 30, 2021.

Such grants shall be used for specified expenses such as payroll costs, rent, utilities, and personal protective equipment.

Actions Timeline

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