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Living Donor Protection Act of 2019

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Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]

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

Cosponsors (26 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 14, 2019
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Mar 12, 2019
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Mar 26, 2019
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Apr 29, 2019
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		Apr 29, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		May 1, 2019
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		May 1, 2019
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 15, 2019
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		May 15, 2019
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Jun 12, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jun 19, 2019
Sen. McSally, Martha [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jul 15, 2019
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jul 15, 2019
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Aug 1, 2019
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Sep 12, 2019
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Dec 3, 2019
Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]	R · PA		Dec 5, 2019
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Dec 10, 2019
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Jul 1, 2020
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Sep 17, 2020
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Sep 29, 2020
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Sep 29, 2020
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Sep 30, 2020
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Oct 20, 2020
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Nov 9, 2020
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Nov 9, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 14, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1224	Identical bill	Feb 15, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Living Donor Protection Act of 2019

This bill prohibits discrimination based on an individual's status as a living organ donor in the offering, issuance, cancellation, coverage, price, or any other condition of a life-insurance policy, disability-insurance policy, or long-term-care insurance policy.

The bill also specifically includes recovery from organ-donation surgery as a serious health condition that entitles covered private-sector and federal civil-service employees to medical leave.

The Department of Health and Human Services must update public-service announcements, websites, and other media regarding live organ donation to educate the public on the benefits of live organ donation and on access to insurance for living organ donors.

Actions Timeline

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