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SAFE Act of 2019

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Feb 28, 2019

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Feb 28, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]

Party: Democratic • State: WA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Mar 4, 2019
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 4, 2019
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Mar 26, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 28, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1468	Identical bill	Apr 8, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Summary (as of Feb 28, 2019)

Security And Financial Empowerment Act of 2019 or the SAFE Act of 2019

This bill sets forth various provisions to promote the safety and security of survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Among other things, the bill

- requires employers to provide up to 30 days of safe leave in a 12-month period for employees to seek medical attention, obtain certain services and counseling, participate in safety planning, and take legal action; and
- prohibits states from imposing additional restrictions on eligibility for unemployment compensation.

Actions Timeline

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