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Medgar and Myrlie Evers Home National Monument Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • State: MS • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Sen. Jones, Doug [D-AL]	D · AL		Jan 9, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 9, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 47	Related bill	Mar 12, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-9.
116 HR 356	Identical bill	Jan 30, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.

Summary (as of Jan 9, 2019)

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This bill establishes the Medgar and Myrlie Evers Home National Monument in Jackson, Mississippi, as a unit of the National Park System to preserve, protect, and interpret the home and history of the pivotal role of Medgar and Myrlie Evers in the civil rights movement.

The National Park Service shall seek to enter into a cooperative agreement with Tougaloo College in Tougaloo, Mississippi, for interpretive and educational services related to the monument.

Actions Timeline

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