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Minority Entrepreneurship Grant Program Act of 2021

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commerce

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. (Apr 14, 2021)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 14, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 9423	Related bill	Dec 2, 2022: Referred to the House Committee on Small Business.

Summary (as of Apr 14, 2021)

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This bill requires the Small Business Administration (SBA) to award grants to create or expand programs at minority-serving institutions and historically Black colleges and universities (HBCUs) that foster, promote, and increase opportunities for minority business ownership. The SBA must also establish a Minority Entrepreneurship Advisory Board to develop recommendations regarding how these institutions and HBCUs can better serve minority businesses and entrepreneurs.

Actions Timeline

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