

## S 137

Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act

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Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 28, 2021
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Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Feb 3, 2021
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Jun 8, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 28, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 534	Related bill	<b>Jan 28, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

## **Protecting Life in Foreign Assistance Act**

This bill prohibits the use of federal funds for purposes outside the United States related to abortion.

Specifically, the bill prohibits funding to certain foreign or domestic organizations that perform or promote abortions, furnish or develop items intended to procure abortions, or provide financial support for an entity that conducts such activities.

Current U.S. policy prohibits the provision of federal funds to a foreign nongovernmental organization unless it agrees to not perform or actively promote abortions.

## **Actions Timeline**

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