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Native American Entrepreneurial and Opportunity Act of 2021

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Native Americans

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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. (May 20, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hickenlooper, John W. [D-CO]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 20, 2021
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		May 20, 2021
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		May 20, 2021
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Sep 29, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 20, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 5160	Related bill	Sep 3, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Small Business.

Summary (as of May 20, 2021)

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This bill provides statutory authority for the establishment of the Office of Native American Affairs within the Small Business Administration (SBA). The office must establish a working relationship with Indian tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations by targeting SBA programs relating to entrepreneurial development, contracting, and capital access to revitalize Native businesses and economic development in Indian country.

Actions Timeline

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