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Administrative False Claims Act of 2021

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

Party: Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jul 22, 2021
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Jul 22, 2021
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jul 30, 2021
Sen. Portman, Rob [R-OH]	R · OH		Aug 4, 2021
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Oct 26, 2021
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Oct 26, 2021
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Oct 28, 2021
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Jan 13, 2022
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jun 8, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 1, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill modifies provisions regarding fraud committed against the federal government.

Specifically, the bill raises the maximum amount of a fraud claim that may be handled administratively from \$150,000 to \$1 million, allows responsibilities in the administrative process assigned to the Attorney General or an Assistant Attorney General to be delegated to other Department of Justice employees, and allows the government to recoup costs for investigating and prosecuting these frauds.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2021:** Committee on the Judiciary. Reported by Senator Durbin with amendments. Without written report.
- **Nov 1, 2021:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 162.
- **Oct 21, 2021:** Committee on the Judiciary. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jul 22, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 22, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.