

S 3088

Five Freedoms for America's Children Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 27, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 7027	Related bill	Mar 9, 2022: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.
117 S 2638	Related bill	Aug 5, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
117 S 2664	Related bill	Aug 5, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.
117 S 2206	Related bill	Jun 24, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
117 HR 927	Related bill	Feb 8, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 S 271	Related bill	Feb 8, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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This bill establishes and modifies programs concerning children's health, financial security, education, nutrition, and welfare. Among other changes, the bill (1) provides for the automatic enrollment of all children under the age of 19 in Medicaid; (2) establishes savings accounts, and provides for annual deposits of federal funds into these accounts, for children of income-eligible parents; (3) provides mandatory funding for the Head Start Program; (4) facilitates the participation of income-eligible children in school-based nutrition programs through certain automatic certifications; and (5) establishes grant programs to address institutional and systemic child abuse.

Actions Timeline

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