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FOCA Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Feb 24, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]

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

Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Feb 24, 2021
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		Mar 24, 2021
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 24, 2021
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 24, 2021
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]	R · WY		Apr 14, 2021
Sen. Paul, Rand [R-KY]	R · KY		Sep 21, 2021
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 2, 2022
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 2, 2022
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Mar 8, 2022
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Mar 10, 2022
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		Apr 27, 2022
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Jun 23, 2022
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Jul 25, 2022
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Nov 16, 2022
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Dec 5, 2022
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Dec 7, 2022
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Dec 7, 2022
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Dec 12, 2022
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Dec 14, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 24, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1284	Identical bill	Feb 24, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform.

Summary (as of Feb 24, 2021)

Fair and Open Competition Act or the FOCA Act

This bill prohibits federal construction contracts or controlling documents for federally supported construction projects from requiring or prohibiting project labor agreements. Such documents also may not discriminate against or give preference to a bidder or contractor who signs or refuses to sign a project labor agreement.

An agency may exempt a project from this prohibition to avert an imminent threat to public health or safety or to serve the national security.

Actions Timeline

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