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Voluntary Specialized Accreditation for Background and Home Studies Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (Nov 16, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]

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

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 16, 2022)

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This bill modifies intercountry adoption provisions to include voluntary accreditation relating to performing a background study on a child or performing a home study on a prospective adoptive parent.

Actions Timeline

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