

## S 534

### Tribal Child Support Enforcement Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Mar 2, 2021

**Current Status:** Held at the desk.

**Latest Action:** Held at the desk. (Jul 16, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/534>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 2, 2021
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		May 25, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Jul 13, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Native Americans

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Tribal Child Support Enforcement Act**

This bill permits tribal child support enforcement agencies to access the Federal Tax Refund Offset Program to collect past-due child support payments from the federal tax refunds of noncustodial parents.

Additionally, the bill authorizes the Internal Revenue Service and the Social Security Administration to disclose certain tax return information to tribal child support enforcement agencies. Such information may be disclosed to establish and collect child support obligations from, and to locate, those individuals owing such obligations.

It also permits the Department of Health and Human Services to reimburse tribal agencies for certain reporting costs related to the Federal Parent Locator Service.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 16, 2021:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 16, 2021:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 14, 2021:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 13, 2021:** Senate Committee on Finance discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S4860)
- **Jul 13, 2021:** Senate Committee on Finance discharged by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4860)
- **Jul 13, 2021:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S4860)
- **Jul 13, 2021:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S4860)
- **Mar 2, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 2, 2021:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.