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Drone Integration and Zoning Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 4, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill requires the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to prescribe regulations or standards related to unmanned aircraft systems.

Among other requirements, the FAA must

- designate the area between 200 feet and 400 feet above ground level for use of civil unmanned aircraft systems;
- authorize, only with a property owner's permission, the operation of a civil unmanned aircraft in the immediate reaches of airspace above private property;
- preserve state, local, and tribal authority to issue certain reasonable restrictions on the operation of a civil unmanned aircraft system within 200 feet of the ground or a structure; and
- establish a process for the designation of routes above 200 feet of the ground as authorized commercial routes.

Actions Timeline

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