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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]

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

Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE]	R · NE		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Scott, Tim [R-SC]	R · SC		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 28, 2021
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Feb 2, 2021
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Feb 2, 2021
Sen. Hagerty, Bill [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 12, 2021
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Mar 25, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 28, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 3462	Related bill	Jan 18, 2022: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 242.
117 HR 1496	Identical bill	May 18, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
117 HR 1883	Related bill	May 18, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.

Summary (as of Jan 28, 2021)

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This bill requires U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) to detain an alien who is unlawfully present in the United States and has been charged with a crime that resulted in the death or serious bodily injury of another person.

ICE shall make reasonable efforts to obtain information about the identity of any victims of the crimes for which such alien was charged or convicted. ICE shall provide the victim, or a relative or guardian of a deceased victim, with information about such alien, including name, date of birth, nationality, immigration status, criminal history, and a description of any related removal efforts.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 28, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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