

S 3141

Antisemitism Awareness Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Oct 26, 2023

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Oct 26, 2023)

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Sponsor

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

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Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Feb 26, 2024
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Feb 26, 2024
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		May 2, 2024
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		May 15, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 26, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 6090	Identical bill	May 2, 2024: Received in the Senate.
118 S 4127	Related bill	Apr 16, 2024: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Oct 26, 2023)

Antisemitism Awareness Act of 2023

This bill provides statutory authority for the requirement that the Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights take into consideration the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance's (IHRA's) working definition of antisemitism when reviewing or investigating complaints of discrimination based on race, color, or national origin in programs or activities that receive federal financial assistance. According to the IHRA's working definition, *antisemitism* is a certain perception of Jews, which may be expressed as hatred toward Jews.

Actions Timeline

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