S 4243

Shirley Chisholm Congressional Gold Medal Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Butler, Laphonza R. [D-CA]
Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (69 total)

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Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		May 2, 2024
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Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		May 2, 2024
Sen. Warnock, Raphael G. [D-GA]	D · GA		May 2, 2024
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Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jul 11, 2024
Sen. Ossoff, Jon [D-GA]	D · GA		Jul 11, 2024
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Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 16, 2024
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Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Sep 16, 2024
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Sep 16, 2024
Sen. Welch, Peter [D-VT]	D · VT		Sep 16, 2024
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Sep 16, 2024
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Sep 16, 2024
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Hickenlooper, John W. [D-CO]	D · CO		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM]	D · NM		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Sep 18, 2024

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Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [I-AZ]	I · AZ		Sep 18, 2024
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Sep 19, 2024
Sen. Kelly, Mark [D-AZ]	D · AZ		Sep 19, 2024
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Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Sep 25, 2024
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Sep 25, 2024
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 25, 2024
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Sen. Romney, Mitt [R-UT]	R · UT		Nov 12, 2024
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		Nov 12, 2024
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Nov 12, 2024
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Nov 13, 2024
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Nov 18, 2024
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Nov 18, 2024
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Nov 19, 2024
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Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Nov 19, 2024
Sen. Ricketts, Pete [R-NE]	R · NE		Nov 19, 2024
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Nov 19, 2024
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Nov 20, 2024
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Nov 20, 2024
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Nov 20, 2024
Sen. Young, Todd [R-IN]	R · IN		Nov 20, 2024
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Dec 2, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 4, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 1088	Related bill	**Feb 17, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

Summary (as of Dec 12, 2024)

Shirley Chisholm Congressional Gold Medal Act

This act provides for the posthumous presentation of a Congressional Gold Medal in commemoration of Shirley Chisholm, in recognition of her activism, independence, and groundbreaking achievements in politics, including election as the first African American woman in Congress.

The act provides that the gold medal shall be given to and displayed at the Smithsonian Institution.

The act also authorizes duplicate medals to be cast in bronze and made available for sale.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2024:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 12, 2024:** Became Public Law No: 118-150.
- **Dec 10, 2024:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Received in the House.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Held at the desk.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Mr. McHenry moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6345-6349)
- **Dec 4, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 4243.
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6345-6346)
- **Dec 4, 2024:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6345-6346)
- **Dec 4, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 3, 2024:** Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 3, 2024:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S6786)
- **Dec 3, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.
- **Dec 3, 2024:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote. (text: CR S6786)
- **May 2, 2024:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 2, 2024:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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