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Cameras in the Courtroom Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

Party: Democratic • State: IL • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 16, 2023
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 16, 2023
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 16, 2023
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Mar 27, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 16, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 8597	Related bill	<b>Jun 3, 2024:</b> Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, the Judiciary, Ethics, Financial Services, and Rules, 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.
118 HR 3222	Identical bill	<b>May 11, 2023:</b> Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Cameras in the Courtroom Act**

This bill requires the Supreme Court to permit television coverage of all open sessions of the Court unless it decides by majority vote that allowing such coverage in a particular case would violate the due process rights of any of the parties involved.

## **Actions Timeline**

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