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Public Safety Officer Concussion and Traumatic Brain Injury Health Act of 2023

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Jun 8, 2023
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Oct 24, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 21, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 5853	Related bill	Sep 29, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.
118 HR 2548	Identical bill	Apr 21, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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This bill requires the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to collect and disseminate information about diagnosing, treating, and preventing concussions and traumatic brain injuries among public safety officers.

The CDC must put the information it collects on its website. The CDC must also disseminate the information to medical and public health professionals, public safety employers and employee representatives, and other stakeholders.

In implementing the bill, the CDC may support public and private efforts to identify and create guidelines, protocols, and evidence-based practices for treating concussions and traumatic brain injuries in public safety officers.

Actions Timeline

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