

S 1595

Improving Police CARE Act

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Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Reported By	May 20, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 S 1071	Related bill	Dec 18, 2025: Became Public Law No: 119-60.
119 HR 5864	Identical bill	Oct 28, 2025: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Improving Police Critical Aid for Responding to Emergencies Act or the Improving Police CARE Act

This bill requires the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) within the Department of Justice to develop and publish performance standards for trauma kits that are eligible to be purchased using funds under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant program.

Additionally, the BJA must develop and publish best practices for the use, deployment, and maintenance of trauma kits by law enforcement agencies.

May 5, 2025: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.