

S 230

Unborn Child Support Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Families

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 23, 2025)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Banks, Jim [R-IN]	R · IN		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Britt, Katie Boyd [R-AL]	R · AL		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 23, 2025
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 23, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 23, 2025

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 HR 3235	Related bill	May 7, 2025: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.
119 S 1630	Related bill	May 6, 2025: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
119 HR 1104	Identical bill	Feb 6, 2025: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Jan 23, 2025)

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This bill requires states to apply child support obligations to the time period during pregnancy. This requirement is applicable retroactively based on a court order at the request of the pregnant parent and a determination by a physician of the month during which the child was conceived. Existing state requirements are applicable to these obligations, such as proof of parenthood.

