

S.1552 Living Donor Protection Act of 2026

Section 1. Short Title.

This section provides that the Act may be cited as the “Living Donor Protection Act of 2026.”

Section 2. Prohibition on Denial of Coverage or Increase in Premiums of Life or Disability Insurance for Living Organ Donors.

This section prohibits issuers of disability insurance policies, life insurance policies, and long-term care insurance policies, from denying coverage, canceling coverage, refusing to issue, determining the price or premium for, or vary any term or condition of an insurance policy for a person based solely on their status as a living organ donor.

Section 3. Clarification of Organ Donation Surgery as Qualifying as a Serious Health Condition under FMLA.

This section amends the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) to include organ donation, preparation for and recovery from an organ donation surgery, and other activities related to organ donation, as a serious health condition. It also states that activities related to organ donation would qualify a living organ donor for 12-week leave under FMLA.

Section 4. Updating of Educational Materials on the Benefits and Risks of Living Organ Donation.

This section requires the Department of Health and Human Services to review and update public materials related to organ donation to educate the public on benefits and risks of living organ donation, and the impact of living organ donation on a living organ donor’s access to insurance.