

**To permit the televising of Supreme Court proceedings. (Introduced in Senate)**

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**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES**

**January 22, 2007**

Mr. SPECTER (for himself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. FEINGOLD) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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**A BILL**

To permit the televising of Supreme Court proceedings.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO TITLE 28.**

(a) In General- Chapter 45 of title 28, United States Code, is amended by inserting at the end the following:

**Sec. 678. Televising Supreme Court proceedings**

^ The Supreme Court shall permit television coverage of all open sessions of the Court unless the Court decides, by a vote of the majority of justices, that allowing such coverage in a particular case would constitute a violation of the due process rights of 1 or more of the parties before the Court.'.

(b) Clerical Amendment- The chapter analysis for chapter 45 of title 28, United States Code, is amended by inserting at the end the following:

^ 678. Televising Supreme Court proceedings.'.