



National Restaurant Association applauds Senate passage of food safety reform bill

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Yesterday, the U.S. Senate passed the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Food Safety Modernization Act, which included several important enhancements to the nation's food safety system.

Nation's Restaurant News reported on the bill's passage and the National Restaurant Association's reaction, quoting [Executive Vice President of Policy and Government Affairs Scott DeFife](#). While praising the Senate for passing the bill, DeFife also expressed disappointment that amendments that would have repealed new 1099 reporting requirements were defeated.

The NRA now urges the House of Representatives to pass the food safety bill before the end of the year.

Read the [Nation's Restaurant News article](#) and [DeFife's full statement](#) on the food safety reform legislation.

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