



July 28, 2026

The Honorable John Thune
Senate Republican Leader
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Chuck Schumer
Senate Democratic Leader
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Leader Thune and Leader Schumer,

We write on behalf of Solana Policy Institute to urge you to schedule Senate floor consideration of the Clarity Act ahead of the August recess. This bipartisan legislation reflects a decade of serious work across both chambers and stands ready for debate and a vote.

The Clarity Act delivers what the American crypto ecosystem needs. It gives regulators the flexibility to accommodate these novel financial markets. It preserves consumer choice while establishing meaningful protections for market participants. It protects software developers from criminal and regulatory overreach through explicit protections that give developers legal clarity to build responsibly in the United States. And it gives institutions the rules of the road for incorporating digital assets into their operations.

Developers are the architects of the infrastructure on which modern markets depend. They shape how systems function and how people coordinate on a global scale. Solana led the world in new developer growth in 2024, expanding 84% year-over-year. These developers need certainty to continue building here in the United States.

Today's financial system runs on decades-old technology. We need the Clarity Act to build next-generation financial rails here in the U.S. The rules built around legacy markets assume the presence of a broker, custodial exchange, or other intermediary controlling who gets in, how orders are handled, and how records are kept. Blockchain systems work differently. Congress must give regulators the authority to accommodate those differences while protecting consumers.

Staffers and members of Congress in both chambers have worked hard to understand these markets and get regulation right. Industry participants have offered technical input, advanced balanced compromises, and worked constructively throughout. The White House has driven this process toward completion. We are grateful for that commitment. And that work should culminate in Senate consideration.

The moment to act is now. Passing the Clarity Act would give American builders, institutions, and consumers the certainty they need to compete globally and thrive domestically. A floor vote brings this bill one step closer to the President's desk for signature.

We stand ready to support you and your colleagues in getting this across the finish line.

Sincerely,

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Kristin Smith
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