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S 1377

Koby Mandell Justice for American Victims of Terrorism Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Aug 3, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8951) Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8951)

(Aug 3, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]

Party: Republican • State: OR • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	$R \cdot KS$		Nov 7, 2001
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		Nov 9, 2001
Sen. Smith, Bob [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		Jul 22, 2002
Sen. Nickles, Don [R-OK]	$R \cdot OK$		Sep 4, 2002
Sen. Bond, Christopher S. [R-MO]	$R \cdot MO$		Sep 19, 2002
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		Sep 23, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 3, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 3, 2001)

Koby Mandell Justice for American Victims of Terrorism Act of 2001 - Directs the Attorney General to establish within the Department of Justice an office to: (1) monitor acts of international terrorism alleged to have been committed by Palestinians or individuals acting on behalf of Palestinian organizations; (2) collect and offer rewards for information against individuals alleged to have committed such acts; (3) negotiate with the Palestinian Authority or related entities to obtain financial compensation for U.S. nationals or their families injured or killed by such terrorist acts; (4) establish and implement alternative methods to apprehend, indict, prosecute, and convict individuals who commit such acts; (5) contact victims' families and provide updates on the progress to apprehend, indict, prosecute, and convict the individuals who commit such acts; and (6) provide for the permanent stationing of an appropriate number of U.S. officials in Israel, in territory administered by Israel and by the Palestinian Authority, and elsewhere.

Actions Timeline

- Aug 3, 2001: Introduced in Senate
- Aug 3, 2001: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8950-8951)
- Aug 3, 2001: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8951)